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BRANDEIS AND SENATOR NELSON IN ANGRY CLASH

WASHINGTON, April 1.—A scene took place between Chairman Nelson and Attorney Brandeis of Boston soon after the Ballinger-Pinchot investigation committee met to-day.

Senator Nelson accused Mr. Brandeis, who is attorney for L. R. Glavis, of concealing evidence from the committee. Mr. Brandeis denied having done so.

Heated words between the men followed, and for a time it looked as if a personal encounter might take place.

Elmer E. Todd, United States District Attorney for Washington, was the first witness for Mr. Ballinger called by Attorney Vertrees. Todd is the official mentioned by Glavis as having been connected with the Watson-Allen case. Glavis also asserted that Todd had advised him to delay prosecution of the coal claimants.

To Omit Ballinger's Name.

Todd said it was true that an agreement had been reached to omit Mr. Ballinger's name from the Watson-Allen case. He denied the statement made by Special Agent Jones to the effect that he (Todd) had advised against prosecuting the coal claimants, "because Judge Sanford was constitutionally opposed to land fraud cases and he did not want to be humiliated by bringing such a prosecution before him."

Mr. Todd said he never made any such statement to Jones. Judge Sanford, he said, was not opposed constitutionally to land fraud cases. No such case which he had tried, he asserted, had ever been reversed by a higher court.

Judge Sanford had, however, made a speech in which he criticised "theoretical conservation."

Mr. Todd narrated the circumstances surrounding his failure to prosecute the coal claimants for fraud. He thought that the cases did not come under the statutes which Glavis and Jones cited. He stated further that Glavis's successor, Special Agent Christensen, had complained to him that certain papers and letters, which Glavis had, were missing and the matter of beginning other proceedings against Glavis was discussed.

Showed Much Feeling.

He referred to the letters which it is alleged were discovered among Glavis's effects in the Federal building in Seattle, copies of which had been published in Colliers. Todd said he told Christensen he thought that if Glavis had any government papers, he would return them when he discovered that he had them. He took no action upon the request.

On cross-examination Mr. Todd showed much feeling against Special Agent Jones, who, he said, was trying to make it appear that he was doing a great deal, when in reality he "was only running around Seattle and making daily reports."

It was during the cross examination of Attorney Todd that the argument arose between Attorney Brandeis and Chairman Nelson, into which all the members of the committee were finally drawn. The incident was the most sensational feature since the inquiry began.

Mr. Brandeis was examining Mr. Todd in regard to a letter of no material importance which Glavis had written to the general land office regarding the prosecution of the coal claimants by District Attorney Todd. Mr. Todd said the letter had been written but never sent.

"How do you know it was never sent?" asked Mr. Brandeis.

"The original was found in Mr. Glavis's office and furthermore Mr. Glavis himself testified that it was not sent."

Brandeis Livid With Rage.

Mr. Vertrees read from the testimony where Glavis had said the letter was not sent.

Mr. Brandeis pressed his question as to how the witness knew the letter was not mailed.

Chairman Nelson broke in to say:

"Mr. Brandeis, there is evidence that that letter was never sent. Why did you not tell the Senate that, why did you try to conceal the fact and deceive the committee?"

At this Mr. Brandeis leaped to his feet and jumped several feet toward the head of the table where Senator Nelson sat calmly chewing tobacco. The attorney was livid with rage.

"I demand," he shouted, "that the chairman withdraw that remark. I object to his insinuation that I have not acted in good faith. I ask that his language be withdrawn."

"And I decline to withdraw it," said Mr. Nelson, greatly flushed but still determined.

"I think the language of the chairman is objectionable and I move that it be withdrawn," said Representative Graham.

"I second that motion," put in Representative James.

Fight Among Committeemen.

Mr. Brandeis then sat down and watched the fight among members of the committee which continued for fifteen minutes.

Mr. Graham said Mr. Brandeis's conduct had been entirely proper. He was not supposed to remember all that had been testified in the 2,500 pages of evidence. When the statement was in the record itself there could be no deception of the committee. There was nothing in the question which indicated that Mr. Brandeis was seeking to conceal anything.

The Republican members of the committee were put in a bad predicament. They did not want to vote to rebuke Chairman Nelson, and yet by their remarks they indicated that they did not indorse his sentiment or his language in accusing Mr. Brandeis. Several of them said they would not vote on such a motion and sought to have Mr. Graham withdraw it, but he refused, persisting that the chairman should instead withdraw his remarks.

Finally Representative Madison, the insurgent member, smoothed things over a bit by saying that while he did not approve of Senator Nelson's remark, he would not vote to ask him to withdraw it because Senator Nelson expressed only his own views and not those of the committee. He deplored such a scene in committee and knowledge of its going out to the country.

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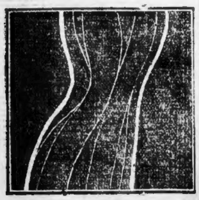

Lady Duff Gordon, the world's foremost authority on women's dress, who edits the fashion page of the Boston Sunday American, tells all about the "statue figure," the newest development in form, and the gowns that go with it, in next Sunday's

BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN

DRAPER READY TO CALL 'HELP' FOR NEW HAVEN

Governor Draper stands ready to accommodate the New Haven Railroad by sending a special message to the Legislature asking that the bonds of the Boston Railroad Holding Company be exempted from taxation, provided the House Committee on Rules or the House itself refuses to admit a petition for such legislation.

This story was circulated through the State House to-day by men who are close to the Governor. It acted like a thunderbolt on the White-Washburn forces, who have been planning to bar the exemption from taxation bill from discussion at this session of the Legislature. No one doubted to-day that White and Washburn could succeed in blocking the bill's admission in the House, although the Senate has already admitted it. No one doubted, either, that the Governor would hesitate for a moment to send in a special message to help out the New Haven.

Under the rules of the Legislature the time for filing petitions for legislation this year expired at 5 p. m. on January 22. No petition filed after that time can be admitted without approval of four-fifths of the members in each branch.

But the Governor may send in a special message at any time, and the Legislature is required to act on it.

FATHER HUGH BENSON WILL VISIT BOSTON

The Rev. Robert Hugh Benson, M. A., son of the late Archbishop of Canterbury, who, seven years ago, became a Catholic and is now a priest, is coming to Boston next month on a brief visit. While in the city he will give a series of addresses on "Religion." On Sunday, April 10, Father Benson will preach at the high mass at the Cathedral and again on the Sunday following, so that all who desire to hear the distinguished English priest will have ample opportunity of doing so. Father Benson's lectures will be given at Fenway Court on April 12, 14, 19 and 21. The series will be under the patronage of Mrs. William C. Endicott, Jr., Mrs. John Bapst Blake, Mrs. Charles Bruen Perkins and Mrs. Bellamy Storer.

VANDERBILT DIVORCE RUMOR WON'T DOWN

NEW YORK, April 1.—The American prints to-day dispatches from Reno, Nev., San Francisco and Newport, saying that there are persistent reports at Reno that Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt, Jr., formerly Miss Virginia Fair, daughter of the late Senator James G. Fair, would join the divorce colony there next week. The Werrum home, within one block of the Truckee River, is being renovated, and it is understood that the house and grounds are being put in order for Mrs. Vanderbilt. She denied this yesterday.

CUT YOUR LIVING EXPENSES and EAT BETTER FOOD THAN YOU DID BEFORE. The Sunday American will tell you how. Don't miss the greatest economic feature ever presented in a newspaper.

ELEANORA SEARS,
BOSTON GIRL ON
108-MILE WALK

Recent snapshot by Boston American photographer.

MISS SEARS IS ON A 108-MILE WALK FOR BET

SAN FRANCISCO, April 1.—Under brilliant blue skies and a beaming sun, Miss Eleanora Sears of Boston is heroically forging ahead on her great walk from Burlingame to Del Monte, a distance of 108 miles, which she is determined to cover in fifty-four hours.

Cheered by a company of friends who have followed the daring girl from the start in automobiles, administering to her comfort from well filled baskets, Miss Sears was in an optimistic mood as she dashed along at a swinging stride to-day.

"I'm going to stick to the end," declared the young woman.

"Cheer up, Eleanora," cried one of her girl friends, a member of the automobile party of Laurence Shott, "you've got old man Weston beaten four ways from the ace."

Takes Picturesque Road.

The road taken by Miss Sears is one of the most beautiful in the world. It winds along through picturesque scenery and in sight of the Santa Cruz Mountains, one of the most beautiful of the Coast Range.

Miss Sears showed something of a limp to-day, and it was found that she had a blister on one of her feet. This was attended to, the fever being soothed with a cooling lotion, and asserting that she did not mind a little thing like that, she continued her journey.

It is expected that Miss Sears will finish her task to-morrow forenoon. She has until 1 o'clock to win the bet that she has made with Mrs. Walter Martin and Miss Jennie Crocker that she will reach the Hotel Del Monte by 1 o'clock.

Wager Just to Add Zest.

"That wager is just to add zest to the walk," pleasantly explained Miss Sears. "It is for $200 and I shall need it for ice cream sodas when I get to the end of this promenade."

A great deal of the walk is along the famous Soquel road, a thoroughfare much traversed by automobile parties, and the lone traveler, in the person of a handsome girl, has caused a sensation along the route.

Over the same course Dr. W. A. McEnery did the walk in thirty-six hours and forty-five minutes, beating Percy W. Selby, who started with him at 5:30 a. m. on February 26.

Miss Sears passed through Palo Alto, her first "milestone," having made the first fourteen miles in 3 hours 15 minutes. She passed Mountain View, walking alone, far ahead of her companions.

When she reached Santa Clara, she was dusty and evidently much fatigued. She was walking with a perceptible limp. But she announced her determination to "stick to the road to the end."

Reaching San Jose, Miss Sears rested a short time before resuming her walk.

SONG FREE—"Be My Cinderella," from "The Silver Star." Words and music with the Sunday American.

TRAGEDY VICTIM IN FEAR, SWEARS DETECTIVE

Says Laundryman Hired Him to Watch Wife After Declaring He Had Signed Will—Shooting Occurred Soon After.

The contestants of the Glover will played their trump card, apparently, to-day when they produced Richard J. Blackmore, a private detective, who testified that a year ago this month Clarence F. Glover told him that he had got into trouble with his wife over his attention to a servant girl and that it was "State's prison for him, a bullet, or sign away his rights."

In the following November, Blackmore swore, Glover met him again at the Hotel Touraine and said that he wanted him to get busy, as he had had to sign a will, and that he wanted the detective to "get something" on his wife, who was "a sport," to offset what she had on him. The detective was to go to work, he said, on Monday, November 22. Glover was murdered on Saturday evening, November 20.

GREAT SENSATION CAUSED BY DETECTIVE'S STORY.

The startling testimony produced a great sensation in the court room. Those who had gathered early to follow the entrancing mystery surrounding [illegible] eagerly leaned forward to catch every [illegible].

Blackmore was most emphatic in his story. He was formerly a member of the Boston Common Council.

Lawyer Elmore for the will, declared in an address to the court later that Blackmore's testimony was without weight and possibly without belief. As the contestants announced that all of their testimony bearing on undue influence in the making of the will was in, court adjourned until 2 o'clock Tuesday, when it will be decided whether the question of the murder will be gone into with further witnesses by the contestants or whether Elmore will put in his side of the case at this point on undue influence.

Lawyer Cove asked that the case be adjourned until after Hattie Le Blanc's trial, so that she could be called, but Judge McIntire refused.

Judge McIntire takes it for granted that no matter what his decisions is, the case will be taken to the Supreme Court, as he announced that he had hoped it might get before that court in the April term.

"Glover met me in the basement of the Touraine," testified Blackmore, "on the first of last April, or within a few days of that date, and he told me that his wife accused him of paying too much attention to a French girl in the house, and that it was State's prison, a bullet or signing away his rights.

"He phoned me on the 8th or 9th of November, and I met him in the same place. He said he had to sign a paper, and that he wanted me to get busy and

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NOW BELIEVE BAR BILL WILL PASS SENATE

There was a change in general opinion at the State House to-day as to the probable fate of the bar and bottle bill. It is now believed the bill will go through the Senate.

It was thought that the liquor interests had enough votes in the Senate to kill the bill in the enactment stage. To-day, however, the men close to the bill understood that Senators who had been against the bill were now for it and that it could not fail to pass the upper branch.

Senator Thorndike Spalding of Cambridge, Republican floor leader, was declared by the temperance people to-day to have been won over to their side.

Another indication of the feeling among the liquor people is their preparations to go up to the Supreme Court if the bill is passed. They will claim that the bill was passed in violation of the constitutional provision that all acts which affect the income of the Commonwealth must be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

The bar and bottle bill was not referred to the Senate Committee on Ways and Means. In the House it has been ordered to its third reading without being referred to Ways and Means.

NEW CONFERENCE TO END CAR STRIKE

PHILADELPHIA, April 1.—Apparently having failed to settle the car strike in this city, John Mitchell, accompanied by Denis Hayes, fourth vice president of the American Federation of Labor, went to New York to-day. It is rumored that a meeting of labor leaders may be held in that city and another effort made to bring about a settlement.

FRENCH PASS BILL FOR DREADNOUGHTS

PARIS, April 1.—The Chamber of Deputies to-day passed a bill authorizing the construction of two Dreadnoughts to be built in private shipyards and to be completed by 1913.

RECORD TWO-HOURS' QUAKE IN ANTIPODES

VIENNA, April 1.—The Bohemian observatory to-day registered an earthquake lasting two hours. It is believed the shock or series of shocks occurred in the Antipodes.

The AMERICAN is the Great Home Paper.

MRS. WARREN GETS DIVORCE AND CHILDREN

Mrs. Ethelynde M. Warren of Dorchester was this afternoon granted a decree nisi from her husband Franklin H. Warren, head of the Warren Audit Company of this city. Warren is now under arrest in Providence, fighting extradition proceedings on a charge of polygamy. Judge Raymond, in granting the decree for cruel and abusive treatment, awarded Mrs. Warren the custody of the two minor children, Adrian and Phyllis, aged four and three years respectively, and issued an order for $5 a week alimony and counsel fees. The case was uncontested. Charles W. Bartlett and Frederick E. Jennings appeared for Mrs. Warren.

Dressed in a gown of dark blue, Mrs. Warren, a handsome brunette, occupied the stand for half an hour and was the principal witness against her husband. She testified to first marrying Warren in September, 1903, in Boston, and living with him until 1907, when she learned he had been previously married in New York city. After he had been divorced from his first wife, Warren and Miss Ethelynde M. Gillis were again married, February 19, 1909, by Rev. Dr. Clark of Roxbury, and resided for a time at Norfolk Downs.

"Three weeks after this second ceremony," Mrs. Warren testified, "my husband began to abuse me, nagged me continually, struck me in the face on one occasion and threatened to shoot me. At another time he beat one of the children, Adrian, until the baby was black and blue, and when I took the child in my arms he assaulted me."

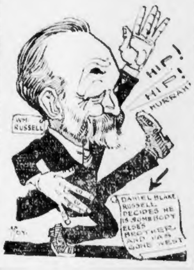
The libellant's testimony was corroborated by Mrs. Annie Sullivan, who was employed in the family, by Dr. Harry MacLeod, who attended Mrs. Warren, and by W. A. Gillis, a brother of the libellant.

SENATOR SPALDING IS BETTER TO-DAY

Senator Thorndike Spalding, who is ill at his home, No. 75 Sparks street, Cambridge, is a little more comfortable to-day. The Senator's father said over the telephone: "Senator Spalding is suffering from a nervous breakdown, due to overwork. He is a little more comfortable to-day. We hope that he will be all right in a few days." The Senator has been at the State House only once in the present session. He is keenly interested in several current legislative matters and his enforced absence from the State House does not tend to improve his condition any.

TETRAZZINI'S FAVORITE DINNER—The world-famous prima donna will tell what it is and how to cook it in the Sunday American.

APRIL FOOL



WM. RUSSELL
HIP!
HIP!
HURRAH!
DANIEL BLAKE RUSSELL DECIDES HE IS SOMEBODY ELSE'S BROTHER, AND HAS GONE WEST

300 PUPILS MARCHED OUT IN FIRE DRILL

The importance of the fire drill for public schools was demonstrated to the citizens of Wakefield to-day, when, fire being discovered in the basement of the Hamilton school, the building, containing some 300 children, was emptied in less than one minute from the time the smoke was noticed coming through the ventilators in the primary department, of which Miss Annie Taylor is the teacher.

Miss Taylor sent in the fire drill alarm after which she notified the fire department, which quickly extinguished a slight blaze in a pile of rubbish.

Chief Cade of the fire department discovered, after the smoke had cleared away, a large pile of ashes beneath one of the stairways—a most dangerous locality. He will make a tour of inspection of the other buildings in town.

PITTSBURGERS HOLD "INDIGNATION DAY"

PITTSBURG, April 1.—This is "Indignation Day," so called because it is officially set by the civic committee for public condemnation of the graft disclosures. A monster mass meeting for this purpose is to be held to-night at Exposition Hall. It is the expectation that to-morrow, at the latest, the Grand Jury will come out with the much-awaited names of the men higher up in the graft scandals.

$10,000 GETS BACK KIDNAPED GIRL

LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 1.—The friends and family of Alma Kellner, the eight-year-old girl who was kidnaped last December, announced to-day that the girl had been found. It is understood that a ransom of $10,000 was paid. Mrs. Frederick Kellner, Jr., the mother said: "My daughter will be back home within a few days. She is in good hands." Frank Fehr, millionaire brewer and uncle of the child, left Louisville suddenly, and friends of the Kellners said to-day that the child is now with him.

BE YOUR OWN ARTIST—Amusing and instructive feature in the Sunday American.

300 LYNN PAINTERS GET WAGE INCREASE

LYNN, April 1.—Nearly three hundred painters and decorators were made jubilant when word was received to-day at union headquarters here that their demand for a 7-cent increase per hour and Saturday half-holiday had been granted and will go into effect to-morrow. Fellow craftsmen of Nahant, Saugus, Cliftondale and Swampscott are also included in this concession.

MAN JAMMED BY TWO FREIGHT CARS

Ralph Dodge, twenty years old, of Andrews court, Lynnfield, was jammed between two freight cars at Mystic wharf, Charlestown, to-day and was severely injured. He was removed to the Relief Hospital. Dodge is employed in the car repairing department of the the Boston & Maine Railroad.

LEARN HOW TO BE BEAUTIFUL

Lina Cavalieri, most beautiful woman in the world, gives a page of new advice and recipes in the SUNDAY AMERICAN. They're simple, but invaluable. One of many features in the SUNDAY AMERICAN.

STILL IN DOUBT ON "RUSSELL"

Two conferences over the new Russell claimant to-day brought no result. Those participating in the conference were: William C. Russell of Melrose, who is fighting the claim of "Daniel Blake Russell, No. 1" to the $500,000 Russell estate.

Henry C. Johnson of Fresno, Cal., who is Claimant No. 2, and who declares that he is William's brother, and that Claimant No. 1 is an imposter.

Senator George Cartwright of Fresno, Western counsel, and Attorney William Odlin, Eastern counsel for the new claimant.

Attorneys John K. Berry and Nason & Proctor of counsel for William C. Russell.

The conferences took place in the law offices of Nason & Proctor. The morning conference began at 10:30 and lasted two hours. The new claimant looked worried and nervous after it.

Attorney Odlin merely said that no result had been attained in the morning conference. Asked point blank if William C. Russell had recognized the Fresno claimant, Attorney Odlin replied:

"You ought not to ask that question. You know that it is not a proper one."

Start Sight-Seeing.

Right after the morning session Senator Cartwright and the new claimant hurried to the Hotel Bellevue, sprang into a hack and ordered the driver to go to Bunker Hill Monument.

The lawyers on either side had prepared for the conference a long series of questions. Counsel for William C. Russell naturally would have a quantity of queries to put to the claimant. And the counsel for the claimant wished to catechise Mr. Russell as well. Thus it was hoped to come to some agreement on the matter of identity.

The matter of identification is still open. It was reported that William C. Russell at a conference yesterday failed to identify the Fresno man as his brother. Attorney John K. Berry of counsel for William C. Russell to-day said that this was untrue. Attorney Berry asserted that the question of identifying the claimant had not been put formally to William C. Russell yet.

An Open Question.

Accompanied by a Pinkerton, William Russell left the Bellevue Hotel to go to the conference in the law offices of Nason & Proctor, No. 15 Beacon street.

Mr. Russell took his customary morning walk, with the detective trailing along on the opposite side of the street. A reporter approached Mr. Russell as he neared 15 Beacon street. The detective rushed up between the two men before Mr. Russell had a chance to say a word. After Mr. Russell went into the building the detective stationed himself outside and barred all comers.

Following the conference, however, Attorneys William Odlin and George W. Cartwright, representing the Fresno claimant, changed their tactics completely and where they had previously expressed their willingness that he should meet newspaper men and anyone who desired to question him regarding events or places in Melrose, they declared that they would no longer permit him to be interviewed by anyone. Melrose men who had come to Boston in pursuance of Mr. Cartwright's invitation to meet the claimant were told that it was all over, that there would be no more interviews. And those who were at the hotel for the purpose of seeing the Fresno man were forced to return home unsatisfied.

Policy of Silence.

Both Mr. Nason and Mr. Proctor, of the attorneys for William C. Russell, said after the conference that they did not feel at liberty to discuss the line of inquiry followed by the respondents in their interrogation of the second "Daniel Blake Russell," and declared that the proper time had not yet arrived to discuss the impression which the interview had made upon William C. Russell or how it would affect his future attitude toward the first claimant.

Fully as reticent as the attorneys for the respondent were those of the Fresno man. In the interest of his client, said Mr. Odlin, it had been decided not to give out any statement at the present time.

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SONG FREE—"Be My Cinderella," from "The Silver Star." Words and music with the Sunday American.

THE WEATHER.

Fair to-night and Saturday. Light winds, generally westerly.

Sun rises—5:27 *a. m.; sets*—6:09 *p. m.*
Moon rises—12:06 *a. m.*
High tide—3:23 *a. m.;* 3:53 *p. m.*

PROF. AGASSIZ BURIED SUNDAY

The body of Professor Alexander Agassiz of Harvard University and head of the Calumet & Hecla Mining Company arrived in Boston to-day. The funeral will be held Sunday afternoon at two o'clock in Appleton Chapel, Harvard University, and will be attended by the members of the faculty, board of trustees, fellows and undergraduates, as well as personal and business associates of the professor.

Mourning for the noted scientist and mining man is world-wide. The news of his death was a shock to all his friends. Just before sailing for this country he was in the best of health, apparently. He died aboard ship.

Stops Itching at Once.

Quite recently a chemist formulated a compound which posesses such soothing and curative properties that, when applied, it stops the itching of eczema and similar diseases immediately. Sufferers who use it are amazed at the rapidity of the relief which follows its use. The skin heals in an astonishingly short time, and all traces of the disease are eradicated. The name of this new remedy is Cadum, and it is sold by all druggists for 10c. and 25c. a box. It is also remarkably effective when used for acne, herpes, pimples, blackheads, psoriasis, itching piles, tetter, salt rheum and skin diseases generally. A 10c. box will verify all these statements.

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Household Premium Coupon

Friday, April 1.

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NOTICE—A complete set consists of 20 coupons of consecutive dates. Only one coupon of each date will be accepted in each set.

$283,200 BID FOR LIGHTING

When the bids for lighting the smaller streets and alleys of the city with gas or naphtha lamps were opened at City Hall to-day it was found that the Rising Sun Street Lighting Company, which has the present contract, was the only company to submit an estimate.

The bid for a five or ten-year period are the same as at present. The amount is approximately $283,200 annually.

For a 60-candlepower light with an upright or vertical mantle will be $23.60 per year on a five-year contract. On a ten-year contract for the same light the company bids $23.35.

For a 60-candle power lamp with inverted mantle the company bid $24.10 for a five-year period, or $23.85 for ten.

FEW PAINTERS STRUCK TO-DAY

Of the 1,150 members of the Painters' Union, less than one hundred members struck to-day, when the scale for another year went into effect. All but two of the larger master painters' shop have agreed to the new scale. The result is taken as an indication that when the other building trades scales go into effect the first of next month there will be no general wage struggle in this city.

The two large firms which are holding out against the men are those of James J. Wingate, employing twenty-seven men, and H. Newton Marshall, employing twenty-nine.

The scale for 1910-1911 calls for wages of $20 a week for house painters and $22.20 for decorators. Last year's scale called for $18 a week for house painters and $20.24 for decorators. The hours of work this year are the same as those of last, or forty-four hours a week at eight hours for five days and four hours on Saturdays.

The strike committee to-day announced that within an hour after the small strike had been declared it had received calls for additional men from many of the master painters who had signed the new scale and who are rushed with orders for work. The committee said that even should the shops struck against refuse to settle that the conditions were such that it expected every union painter in Boston would be at work by next Monday morning at the very latest.

KEENE OUT TO BE SOMERVILLE MAYOR

Political circles in Somerville were enlivened to-day when Representative Sidney B. Keene announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination for Mayor in the coming city election. He is serving his fourth term in the Legislature from the ... Alderman Jesse S. Newcomb announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination for Mayor several weeks ago.

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FIELDS MADE HAPPY THE MIDNIGHT SONS

When Lew Fields arrived in town last Monday morning, preparatory to his engagement in "Old Dutch," at the Majestic, he found a request signed by all the members of his organization playing in "The Midnight Sons," at the Shubert Theatre, that he give a performance of the play at which they could attend. As this would be the only opportunity "The Midnight Sons" folk would have to see the play, Mr. Fields decided to move his Wednesday matinee along to Thursday, and invited the company at the Shubert Theatre to be present.

TO-DAY'S CABLE NEWS

Up to Midnight, London Time

Two Men Fall 900 Feet With Biplane.

BERLIN—As a cheering crowd watched its evolutions, a biplane to-day suddenly whirled and fell 900 feet to the ground at Sosnowice, Poland. Reports received here say that both the aviator and a passenger he was carrying escaped death, but were seriously hurt. They were M. Ugot and Herr Von Heykine.

French Priests Bar Big Hats.

PARIS—The priest of the parish church at Sacy-le-Grand, Department of Oise, where many fashionable people reside, has declared war on women's colossal headgear. He says it prevents worshippers behind the women from seeing the ceremony at the altar. This was especially the case at the Easter celebrations. The priest accordingly has forbidden women to enter the church wearing large hats.

Translating "Chantecler."

LONDON—L. N. Parker, who is doing the English version of "Chantecler" for Frohman's New York production, says he does not find Rostand so untranslatable as was predicted. Indeed, he is easier to translate than many of the French poets. A large part of the work is done, the whole being in blank verse, except the lyrics, for which Mr. Parker used rhyme.

Rector of Hawarden Dead.

LONDON.—Rev. Harry Drew, rector of Hawarden since 1904, is dead. He was curate of Hawarden 1883-93 and served as first warden of St. Deiniol's Hostel and Library, founded by Mr. Gladstone for the promotion of sacred study.

Boston Tourists in Ceylon.

COLOMBO, Ceylon—Mr. and Mrs. Frank MacQuesten of Boston and Marblehead are leaving for Naples on an extensive European tour, arriving in America in June, 1911. Mr. and Mrs. James E. Lord of Boston are stopping here for a few days.

English Birth Rate Drops.

LONDON—England's birth rate last year was the lowest on record—25.58 per thousand of population. This is nearly 1.0 below the rate for 1908, which showed a slight increase over 1907, the first for many years.

Victoria's Chaplain Dead.

LONDON—Bishop Barry, formerly chaplain to Queen Victoria and Primate of Australia, died to-day at Windsor. He was eighty-four years old.

Lowell Goes to Paris.

LONDON—Prof. Percival Lowell, the American astronomer, left for Paris this afternoon.

Jimmy Archer, the great backstop of the Cubs, says that Bescher of the Reds is the most daring base runner in the game. His article will appear in the Sunday Amercan.

LACK OF JUDGE SETS BACK THE COLEMAN CASE

George W. Coleman, who is charged with looting the National City Bank of Cambridge of $180,000, is, according to United States District Attorney French, not to be placed on trial in the United States District Court until May. The Federal District Attorney to-day said that the investigation is to be thoroughly pursued and that if the evidence justifies it other arrests are to be made.

The Federal District Attorney returned to-day from Washington. At his office in the Federal building he said, in discussing the Coleman case:

"The investigation into the looting of the National City Bank will go on steadily and thoroughly. We will not be bulldozed into making other arrests, but we shall do so if the evidence warrants it.

"Coleman will not be placed on trial next Tuesday as anticipated. Senator William A. Morse, who represents Coleman, is not ready to go to trial next Tuesday, and besides it would be impossible for Judge Lowell, who is now presiding in the criminal session of the United States District Court to sit upon the case at this time.

"Judge Lowell has only four days next week, and the week after he is in the United States Circuit Court of Appeals. So it will be a few weeks before the Coleman case can be called.

"The delay is wholly because of the extremely inadequate facilities, both as to judges and courtrooms, that we have here in the Boston district for the trial of Federal cases.

"The Grand Jury is still in service and may be called soon in special session, but this special call will depend entirely upon the investigation we are now making into the case."

APRIL FOOL

STEPHEN O'MEARA.
DEAR SIR;
NAME YOUR OWN PRICE AND COME OVER AND TAKE CHARGE OF SCOTLAND YARD.
YOURS PREMIER ASQUITH
O'MEARA
MOY.

You see the AMERICAN everywhere—in the homes, clubs, restaurants, hotels, cars and boats.

WIFE IS INSANE; BUT NO DIVORCE

Although Eva D. Salzberg was for a time insane previous to her marriage to Harry E. Salzberg, a Boston metal dealer, on May 25, 1900, and has since been committed to the Boston Insane Hospital on different occasions, Justice Raymond today refused to annul the marriage, finding, from the evidence, that the woman was sane at the time of the ceremony. He said:

"Salzberg is in an extremely unfortunate position, being married to a woman who in all probability is hopelessly insane. She was unquestionably insane previous to her marriage, but had been released from the hospital for over a year, and there is no evidence to show she was not in full possession of her faculties for several months previous to and immediately after the ceremony. Under the law of Massachusetts I do not see my way clear to grant a divorce or annul the marriage."

On the night of the wedding, in Union Park Hall, May 25, 1900, the bride shook the wedding ring off her finger and would not wear it until ordered by the rabbi.

CHANGE IN CAR SERVICE.

Beginning to-morrow the North Station line via Seaver street, Columbus avenue and subway, now terminating at Franklin Park, will be extended to Peabody square, Ashmont, via Blue Hill and Talbot avenues, thus affording for these sections a connection with the elevated at Egleston square.

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All Rubber or Rainproofed cloths, many with trimmings of contrasting colors, some have dust ruffle on sleeves.

(SATURDAY.)

Misses' fine ribbed Lisle School Hose (19c seconds)	10c
Women's 15c Swiss Ribbed Vests; low neck and sleeveless; fancy yoke	12½c
Children's 15c cotton ribbed Underwaists	10c

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Semi-tailored, fine tucked front, collar and sleeves, open back, lace edged collar and cuffs.

(SATURDAY.)

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(SATURDAY.)

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If not entirely SATISFIED with the fit and wear of the shoes you have been buying for yourself or the children

TRY THE POLLIWOG SHOE

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FREDERICK'S 3rd FLOOR BLAKE BLDG. Take Elevator

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15 HANOVER STREET, Near Scollay Sq.

Parents like the wear. Children like the name.

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Do you realize it is serious to neglect your teeth for health and looks? Don't wait. Our business is to save them without pain at reasonable prices. Porcelain filling, the color of your teeth, last forever, and no pain. Call and get a free consultation and we will tell you just what your work will cost. We are up to date in every branch of Dentistry. None but experienced dentists. We have every modern appliance to extract, and do our work absolutely painless. Enquire about us. 16 years at 523 Washington. With us you pay for your work only once. We guarantee and make it good. We don't promise one thing and do another and advertise impossibilities. We do everything that can be done in Dentistry. Hours 8:30 to 6; Sundays 10 to 4.

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$3 GLASSES for $1

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You can get a perfect fit in our first quality lenses for $1; sold elsewhere for $2 and $3. The real WILSON BROS., next to big kettle 95 Court. This ad. will save you on a spasmodic

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Clothing On Credit

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A RARE DISPLAY OF

Trimmed Hats

Comprising the latest models, and trimmed in the newest styles and effects with flowers, foliage and feathers. An immense assortment prepared especially for your Spring selection.

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Take Your Pick==Any Suit or Overcoat Now $12

THIS is the *star* clothing event—the one that offers the *biggest* inducements of the season. Fancy having your choice of *any* Fall and Winter Suit or Overcoat now in our store for *$12*—suits and overcoats that formerly were $15.00 to $40.00! That is *exactly* what we offer you.

Many of these clothes are suitable in weight and color for *Spring wear.*

Every Hilton garment is made by us and comes to you direct from our work-shop

¶No goods sent C. O. D.

¶All alterations charged for.

¶Open until 10:30 Saturday night.

¶This sale is for a few days only.

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MAYOR HOWARD THANKS 800 SALEM WOMEN WHO SAVED HIM FROM PRISON

By MAYOR ARTHUR HOWARD OF SALEM.

I am deeply grateful to the 800 women who so kindly came to my assistance on my bail bond. It is an indorsement of my efforts to give Salem a clean administration. I feel that your efforts were for the good name of the city of Salem, and I thank you for the city as well as myself.

I wish to assure you that I intend to continue through the entire year on the same lines as before and do all in my power to maintain the fair name of the good city of Salem, and promise you that I will by no act or deed cause you to regret having reposed your confidence in me.

Mayor Arthur Howard of Salem owes his ersonal freedom to-day to several hundred women of the Witch City who chipped n $1 apiece on his $800 bond.

Daniel P. Haggerty, the Salem saloon keeper who had been surety in $800 for e Mayor since last Fall in the libel suit ought by Robin Damon, the Salem pub her, notified Mayor Howard that he was ng to surrender the bond.

he minute that was known the women Salem got busy. They did not propose their Mayor should go to jail. They rted to raise the $800 necessary for bail. They raised the money in a rry and they could have raised ten es that amount if needed.

Authoress on Mayor's Bond.

The $800 contributed to the Mayor's bond presents 800 individual subscribers. Nearly all are women. They are among the best woman of the city, too. They are club members, society women and leaders in the best feminine influences of the city.

Mrs. George L. Adams, Mrs. Caroline C. Gove, Miss Charlotte Fairfield, the coal dealer, who made such a plucky fight against the Salem coal trust; Mrs. David M. Little, wife of former Mayor David M. Little; Kate Tannat Woods, the author—these are types of the women who paid their one dollar apiece to keep their Mayor out of jail.

But the women resent any insinuation that Mayor Howard is taking refuge behind the skirts of women, as it were. Mrs. George L. Adams said to-day:

"It would be a source of continuous shame to posterity if the Chief Executive of our city were allowed to stay in jail.

"Do we think the Mayor is hiding behind women's skirts? If such a thing as that was ever said, the women of Salem would rise up in a body and denounce the author.

"Mayor Didn't Know of Plan."

"Mayor Howard was in ignorance of our intentions. He did not know what we had planned.

"It is shameful that the men did not take the initiative in this matter and not leave it to the women. I think this will interest Salem women more in politics in the future."

When the women had their subscription scheme well under way they could hardly stop it. Dollars kept coming in after they were no longer needed. Miss Charlotte Fairfield, the coal dealer, describes the way the money poured in, saying:

"We furnished $800 cash bail for the Mayor in court at 9:30 yesterday morning. Indeed, we might have secured a great deal more. As a matter of fact, people were coming to my office all day yesterday with money, and I had to tell them that it was no longer necessary.

"Our reason for this? Well, we think Mayor Howard is a gentleman and is not being treated fairly. They find fault with him for little official acts, and it seems so silly. Altogether, I think the Mayor is in the right and means to do the fair thing. Why should he be criticised and abused?"

Former Mayor's Wife Speaks.

"Wouldn't you, if you lived in Salem, want to see a man given a chance when he is doing his best? Of course you would. Well, that's our position."

Mrs. David M. Little, whose husband is at present clerk of courts, has a good word to say for Mayor Howard, as follows:

"It would be a disgrace to have our chief executive go to jail. Mayor Howard has given us a dignified administration. But, of course, there is always antagonism toward a true reformer on the part of those who are sure to be hit in the event of a reform wave."

That's the way the women talk who went on Mayor Howard's bond. The men, especially those who made no effort to help the Mayor out of his unpleasant predicament, have little to say.

Wives are making ironical remarks to their husbands, also, about letting their Mayor stay in jail. The wives point out to the men that if it were not for the women the men wouldn't have any Mayor at all, so far as the Mayor being at liberty goes.

Mayor Howard himself is keenly appreciative of what the women have done. The statement by him at the beginning of this article is said in deep sincerity by the Mayor.

HELPED MAYOR

MRS. GEO. L. ADAMS

MRS. KATE TANNATT WOODS

STATE SENATOR GIDEON ABBOTT DIED TO-DAY

State Senator Gideon B. Abbott died at his home at No. 17 Beaumont street, Ashmont, early to-day after a week's illness. Heart failure and general complications were given by the doctor as the causes.

Senator Abbott left the Legislature about three weeks ago after a long struggle to stay in his seat and finish out the session. He took to his bed about a week ago. He was suffering at the time from a general nervous breakdown. Hope for his recovery was given up yesterday.

Senator Abbott, who was one of the most active young men in Republican politics in Dorchester, and prominent in the affairs of the Legislature, was only thirty-six years old, and had been in the Legislature since 1906. He entered the House from the Ashmont district and served there two years. In 1908 he was elected to the Senate and was serving his third term.

In party politics and in his vote in the Senate, he was a "regular," invariably following the administration program, and often taking part in framing it. In one thing this year he broke away from the machine, and that was in his support of the constitutional amendment for the income tax.

Senator Abbott was prominent socially in Dorchester and in Boston. He was a Harvard graduate and a member of many prominent social and fraternal organizations. He was a manufacturer's mill agent and quite wealthy.

He leaves a widow and two children, Donald, six years old, and Mary Louise, three. Three sisters and one brother are also living. The funeral will be held at the home Sunday afternoon.

BABY'S CRIES SAVE FIFTEEN IN FIRE PERIL

The choking cry of a three-year-old boy, struggling to breathe through clouds of smoke, served as an alarm to rouse his parents and in the end saved fifteen people from injury or death in a fire at No. 38 Blanche street, Dorchester, to-day.

The actual fire damage was small. The smoke rolled up through all three floors and had partially stupefied some of the sleeping tenants.

Everyone had to get out in night clothes. Charles Sternberg, an eighteen-year-old lad on the second floor, ran a half-mile in his night shirt and bare feet to a fire alarm box.

Mrs. Rhinold Skog was so overcome by smoke that she collapsed after helping her husband get their three children out. She is being cared for now by neighbors.

The families in the house include:

First floor: Mr. and Mrs. Rhinold Skog and Elmer 3, Esther 5, Eric 7.

Second floor: Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Sternberg and Florence 2, [illegible] 15, Charles 18.

Third floor: Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Anderson and Viola 2, [illegible] 4, Gerhard 6.

The fire started in some unknown manner in furniture which the Sternbergs had stored in the cellar. It burned up through the flooring of the bedroom where Mr. and Mrs. Skog were sleeping, with three-year-old Elmer in his crib near the bed.

At 2 o'clock Elmer awoke with a half-stifled cry. His mother roused herself with difficulty, for she had inhaled smoke and was nearly stupefied. She managed in her dazed condition to perceive that flames were issuing from the flooring. With a scream she shook her husband and, running to the baby's crib, wrapped the little fellow in a blanket and rushed outdoors with him.

At the same time Mr. Skog, darting into the adjoining bedroom, stumbled out with five-year-old Esther under one arm and seven-year-old Eric under the other.

Collecting his frightened family out front, Skog ran to No. 40, next door, and aroused Arthur Hjelm, a fellow Scandinavian, who rushed down stairs.

"Rouse the others, Hjelm," gasped Skog, who was hardly able to keep on his own feet on account of smoke in his lungs. Skog assisted his wife and children up into the Hjelm flat, where Mrs. Hjelm cared for them.

Meanwhile Hjelm ran into the front door and up the smoke-filled hallway and roused the Sternbergs and Andersons.

Mr. and Mrs. Sternberg took out two-year-old Florence. The boys were able to look after themselves, and Charlie Sternberg ran to the fire alarm box at the corner of Mill and Ashland streets.

APRIL FOOL

NOT GUILTY PLEA IS MADE BY WOLTER

NEW YORK, April 1.—Albert Wolter to-day pleaded not guilty to the charge of murdering fifteen-year-old Ruth Wheeler. A motion to quash the indictment against him was overruled by Judge Mulqueen, and he was remanded to the Tombs. The motion was based on two grounds—one that the indictment was improperly drawn, the other that a stenographer was in the room at the time that it was voted.

Before arraignment Inspector Titus set his detectives investigating a startling report to the effect that at least two young girls who called at the apartment of Wolter, where Ruth Wheeler lost her life, have disappeared, leaving absolutely no trace as to their movements after going away from the building at No. 224 East Seventy-fifth street.

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An Astonishing Mark Down!

Be sure to visit this millinery display as early as possible Saturday morning! Dozens of becoming styles in hats, in all the smartest shapes and the most attractive colorings. For instance:

3.00 Silk Braid Hats at . . 1.49
A Special Purchase of 20 dozen hand-made Hats—Expensive silk braids in black and all colors, made in stylish and becoming shapes on wire frames and trimmed with a chou of velvet on the side. 3.00 value ... 1.49

5.00 Trimmed Hats at . . 1.98
Ready-to-wear Spring Hats—25 dozen manufacturer's samples, made in a great variety of braids and trimmed with wings, quills, fancy flower effects, ribbon bows, etc. Values up to 5.00, at 1.98

50c Silk and Muslin Roses at 29c
One large rose, with buds and foliage. All the new Spring shades of pink, old rose, maize, champagne, Alice, etc.

A Wonderful Chance to Select a Stylish, New HAT FOR ALMOST NOTHING!

BOYS' SUITS and REEFERS At ⅓ Savings!

$1.00 Wash Suits in new Spring patterns and colors, exceptionally well made, sailor collars, four-in-hand tie, belt and bloomer pants, printed on both sides and fast colors that will wash well; sizes 2½ to 8 years 63c

$1.50 Russian Blouse Suits, cute little suits for boys 3 to 7 years old, good dark patterns that will not soil easily and will wear well, made with small turnover collar and buttoning on the side; bloomer pants 98c

$2.50 Boys' Spring Reefers, a large assortment of colors, checks and covert cloth, good durable linings and perfect fitting garments; sizes for boys 2½ to 10 years 1.87

Here's Another Model of that Famous Vorenberg Suit at

$15

HAVE you ever seen such perfect style, such splendid tailoring and such accurate fit as this for $15.00?

If you only HALF admire it as you see it here, your enthusiasm will fairly CARRY YOU AWAY when you see the exquisite fabrics, unapproachable workmanship and splendid material we have put into it.

How can we do it? It's like this: $15 is the average man's price for clothes. We sell an enormous quantity of garments at this price each season. We seldom advertise them, yet our business in $15 Suits and Overcoats has grown to such mammoth proportions that to-day we sell MORE GARMENTS at this price than ANY TWO STORES combined!

We're now fired with the ambition to CORNER the $15 trade of Boston and we're going to GET IT by giving the GREATEST VALUE at this price ever known!

Our profit on these $15 Suits and Overcoats is pretty nearly invisible—but we're after a BIG PRIZE, and it is WORTH the sacrifice we're making to win it.

72 distinctive patterns in all-wool Worsteds, Cassimeres, Cheviots, Tweeds and Serges; fronts re-inforced with pure, shrunken linen canvas; unbreakable front, close, high-set collar; well lined with silk venetian or serge; sizes 33 to 44 chest measure, in stout, slim and regular models.

Others at $10, $12, $15, $18, $20, $25, $30, $35

A Stunning Suit or Overcoat for $12

Our $12 Suits and Overcoats have a well-established, well-deserved popularity. We defy ANYONE to produce a value equal to ours at $12.00. Their serviceable qualities, handsome appearance, superb fit and smart styling appeal to men who must lay out their income with carefulness, but who desire real elegance. Worsteds, cassimeres, cheviots, serges, etc., in beautiful grays, olives, tans, modes, etc. A good fit and every size and shape of man $12.00

Bostonia Hats, $2.00

The toppiest, most cleverly designed and serviceable hat for the money ever put out—a hat that we GUARANTEE break-proof and fade-proof and warranted worth $3 or money back! The HAYMARKET at $3.00 is the aristocrat of the $3.50 class and the STETSON line at $4 is unbeatable.

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Mothers, Don't Think of Buying Clothes for the Boy Until You See Our Offerings. You Will Get Bigger Values, Bigger Assortments, and Smarter Boys' Clothes Here Than In Any Other Store—Bar None!

$4.50 Knicker Suits
10 to 17; dark olive and stone gray velours; coats cut long; broad shoulder effect; pants cut extra large; $4.50 value $2.98

$6.00 Knicker Suits
10 to 17; smoke and pearl gray, broken plaid, fancy cuffs and flap pockets; cut very stylish; a really unusual value at $6.00; special at $3.98

$6.50 Boys' Sailors
6 to 10 years; blue and brown Washington serge "Two Suit;" blouse can be worn with or without collar, making military or sailor style; $6.50 value $4.98

$4.00 Boys' Reefers
3 to 10 years; tan covert cloth, full box back; cut very mannish; very handsome garments and a most excellent value at $4. Special $2.98

$5.00 Boys' Reefers
3 to 10 years; light and medium gray cassimeres, trimmed with black velvet collar; toppiest little garments you ever saw; worth $5.00. Special $3.48

$7.50 Boys' Reefers
3 to 6 years; the very popular shepherd check worsted, trimmed with black velvet collar and chevron on sleeve; splendidly tailored, beautiful garment; value $7.50 $4.98

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40 S. & H.
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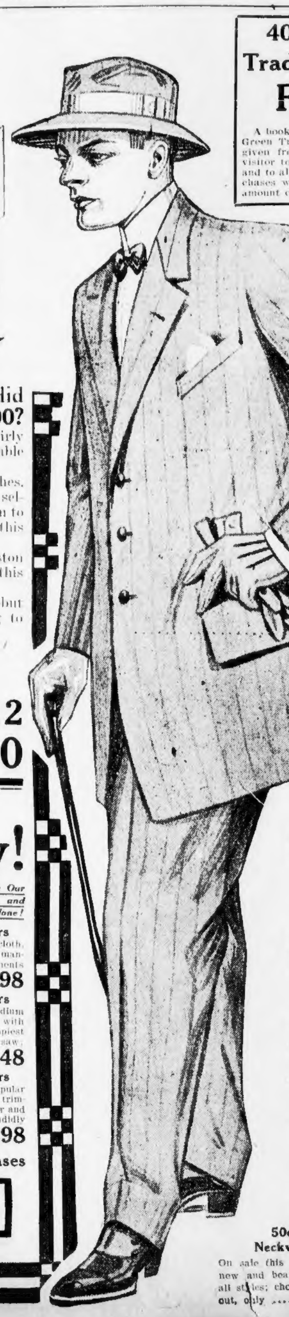

Men's Fixings
Unusual Bargains

$1.50 Shirts 95c
Choicest Spring colorings; percales and madras.

President Suspenders 39c
First quality; the regular 50c grade.

$1.00 Underwear 59c
The famous Hampden Mills pure Egyptian yarn; standard $1 value.

25c Garters 19c
The well-known Boston and C. M. C. garters; none better.

50c Neckwear 25c
On sale this week only. 100 dozen new and beautiful Spring neckties; all styles; choice, while the lot holds out, only .... 25¢

REPORT UPRISING IN LIBERIA NOT SERIOUS

LONDON, April 1.—The Foreign Office to-day received a cablegram from the British Consul in Liberia, declaring that there is no danger to life or property from the uprising of natives. The dispatch says the situation is in no way threatening.

CITY GETS MORE PARKMAN MONEY

City Treasurer Slattery has received from Executor Codman of the George F. Parkman estate, another installment of $410,000, making a total of $2,000,000 of the $6,000,000 estate which has been paid over to the city for use on the public grounds and parks.

Open Saturday Evenings

Men's & Young Men's

Suits

We sell clothes at one profit only because we're manufacturers—make the clothes we sell—know the inside of garments as well as the outside—don't have to take anyone's word for the unseen parts. Can promise better styles—better tailoring—better trimmings and better value for the price than merchants who are compelled to buy clothes-to-sell. For instance—New models of three-button sack suits in lengths to properly fit men of any height, made of new gray suitings in pretty stripe and check effects.

Model No. 1—Coats 31½ inches long.
Model No. 2—Coats 32 inches long.
Model No. 3—Coats 33 inches long.

Full of style—swell patterns and tailored as honest clothes should be.

$15.00

Four lots of Gray Suits—not too many in each lot—just enough to make them exclusive—broken checks—refined stripes and overplaids—each pattern vieing with the others for supremacy. You'll have to see them to appreciate style and workmanship $20

Boys' Suits, Reefers and Top Coats

Boys' Reefers and Topcoats, ages 2½ to 12 years—smart, serviceable garments, made of covert cloth, fancy coatings, fancy cheviots and worsteds, in both plain and fancy patterns, among which are diagonals, herringbone, plaid and widewale effects. Some with velvet collars and emblem on sleeves. Prices

$3.50 to $12.00

Boys' Suits, ages 8 to 17 years—Coat and knickerbocker trousers, made of fancy gray suitings, splendid variety of patterns, extra good values,

$5.00 to $12.00

We Know if You Knew How Good Our Hats Were You'd Buy Here

Guaranteed "Blue Ribbon" Derbies—a young man's hat, in style equal to any $3 hat made........... $2

Others Up to $5.00

Soft Hats, telescope shapes, and the celebrated John B. Stetson Hats.

And Holeproof Hose, for men, women and children who want whole hose.

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WHICH ARE THE GREATEST NOVELS? $25 IN PRIZES FOR THE BEST IDEAS

Well, which do YOU think are the best and greatest novels? Thousands of BOSTON AMERICAN readers are discussing the subject, in the AMERICAN'S latest prize contest.

Here is the proposition:

WHICH ARE THE TEN BEST AND GREATEST NOVELS?

The AMERICAN likes to encourage good reading and wants the opinions of its readers.

The idea is not which are the most amusing, which are the so-called "best sellers," but which ten books convey in the form of an interesting story the greatest amount of useful information, and at the same time provoke in the reader the greatest amount of useful thought.

Avoid the "mushroom" novels of to-day which spring up over night and are soon fogotten.

$25 in Prizes.

Send in your list of the ten greatest novels—the ten that do most to interest, to cheer the lives of those that read them, and at the same time to convey useful information and stir up useful, noble thought.

For the best list the AMERICAN will give a prize of $10; for the next best a prize of $5; and for the next ten, prizes of $1 each. The winning lists will be adjudged by a committee of Boston literary people.

Address "Best Novels" Editor, BOSTON AMERICAN, No. 80 Summer street, Boston.

Some Interesting Lists.

Following are some of the most interesting replies received:

Tufts College Ideas.

"Best Novels" Editor:

My suggestion of the ten best novels is as follows:

Julius Caesar, by Shakespeare.
Merchant of Venice, by Shakespeare.
Ivanhoe, by Scott.
David Copperfield, by Dickens.
The Tale of Two Cities, by Dickens.
Last Days of Pompeii, by Lytton.
Henry Esmond, by Thackeray.
Resurrection, by Leo Tolstoi.
Monte Cristo, by Dumas.
Les Miserables, by Victor Hugo.

S. KASION.
Tufts Dental College, Boston.

Enter Mr. Churchill.

"Best Novels" Editor:

I think the following are the best and greatest novels:

Les Miserables, Hugo.
David Copperfield, Dickens.
Uncle Tom's Cabin, Stowe.
A Tale of Two Cities, Dickens.
Ivanhoe, Scott.
Ben Hur, Wallace.
Vanity Fair, Thackeray.
The Crisis, Churchill.
Jane Eyre, Bronte.
The Scarlet Letter, Hawthorne.

MISS ANNA N. JOHNSON.
No. 39 Joy street, Somerville.

Likes Cooper.

"Best Novels" Editor:

Enclosed are the names I wish to submit as the ten best novels written. I choose these for their historical properties and because of the good moral lessons they impart. They are the following:

Ben Hur.
Tale of Two Cities.
Last Days of Pompeii.
Quo Vadis.
Last of the Mohicans.
The Scarlet Letter.
Rob Roy.
Count de Monte Cristo.
The Prairie.
Don Quixote.

Hoping this list will take a prize, I remain.

JOHN THOMAS.
No. 29 Esmond street, Dorchester.

Real Country Life.

"Best Novels" Editor:

Enclosed find my suggestions of the ten best books I have read:

John Halifax, Gentleman.
The Little Minister.
The Three Musketeers.
Partners of the Tide.
Our Village.
The West Fire in No. 3.
Shore Acres.
Way Down East.
The Old Homestead.
The Christian.

J. D. McLELLAN.
No. 85 Alexander street, Roxbury.

Roxbury Woman's View.

"Best Novels" Editor:

I submit my list of the ten best novels and hope that it will meet with your approval:

Uncle Tom's Cabin, Mrs. Harriet Beecher Stowe.
The Bride of Lammermoor, Sir Walter Scott.
Pilgrim's Progress, John Bunyan.
Vanity Fair, William Makepeace Thackeray.
Gulliver's Travels, Jonathan Swift.
Robinson Crusoe, Daniel Defoe.
The Vicar of Wakefield, Oliver Goldsmith.
Our Mutual Friend, Charles Dickens.
Silas Marner, George Elliot.
Ramona, Mrs. Helen Hunt Jackson.

CATHERINE O'CONNEL.
No. 79 Circuit street, Roxbury.

Prisoner of Zenda in This.

"Best Novels" Editor:

The Prisoner of Zenda, Hope.
Kidnapped, Stevenson.
Oliver Twist, Dickens.
The Crisis, Churchill.
Count of Monte Cristo, Dumas.
The Three Musketeers, Dumas.
Graustark, McCutcheon.
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FURNITURE MEN HAD BIG FEAST

Never before in the history of the Boston Retail Furniture League has the popular organization completed a more successful year than that which came to an end last night at the fourth annual banquet at the American House.

An interesting feature was the distribution of the prizes won by the winning teams and individual members for their record scores. The John A. Dunn team received the championship trophy; the C. E. Osgood Company's team got second prize, and the Shawmut Furniture Company's five was third.

Joseph Shaughnessy of the Osgood team received the prize for highest individual average. F. Taylor of the John H. Pray team got the trophy for highest individual string; the John A. Dunn team for highest single team score and the Ferdinand men for highest team total.

Among the invited guests were: A. J. Morse, C. E. Osgood, L. H. Kincade, B. MacDonald, R. P. Tait, Walter Bassett, R. A. Atkinson, R. C. Kingsley, H. N. Clark, Elmer Gray, Guy Mafera, Charles Fogg, George Heath, Emil Zolnass, Andrew Dutton, J. D. Russell, F. A. Adams, O. C. Moller, J. A. Fowkes, J. Zouver, J. A. Baker, L. F. Flynn and George E. Wright.

WOMEN INJURED IN STRIKE RIOTS

LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 1.—Rioting broke out in the strike against the American Tobacco Company to-day. Six hundred men, women and girl stemmers who are seeking a wage increase stormed the plant at Eighteenth street and Broadway. They attempted to enter the doors and start a stampede in the factory, but were driven back by the police. Several women were hurt by blows of clubs. There are now about 2,500 on strike.

KANSAS HONORS BREWER.

LEAVENWORTH, April 1.—Mayor Abernathy of Leavenworth has issued a proclamation asking all business houses here to close for two hours Saturday afternoon during the funeral of the late Justice Davis J. Brewer.

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STORM DEATH LIST GROWING

VIENNA, April 1.—Leaving a trail of destruction over the more northern parts of Austria, storms and tornadoes which have caused a property loss of millions today tossed southward toward the Balkans and along the Adriatic sea. It is feared that the loss to shipping will be heavy. Several persons are known to have been killed in different parts of the country.

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DISCUSS NEW CLAIMANT IN RUSSELL CASE

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concerning the result of the interview. He and Senator George W. Cartwright, who accompanied the claimant from the West, deemed it best to suspend the examination to which "Russell No. 2" was subjected by the representatives of the Boston papers on the day of his arrival, and for the time being their policy will be to discourage any statement by their client.

New Claimant Hidden.

The Fresno claimant himself could not be seen, for his attorneys denied him to all comers. Early last evening when they escorted him to the hotel Mr. Odlin and Mr. Cartwright marched him past a small company of Melrose men assembled in the lobby and bustled him into the elevator, thence to his room. They offered no chance of questioning or for identification by the men who had sat hours waiting the oportunity which they had been led to believe would be thrown open to them by Mr. Cartwright and Mr. Odlin.

The Melrose people had been gathering at the hotel all through the afternoon. Many of them refused to give their names or tell what they had in mind, whether an identification of the Fresno man or just curiosity. One man said he believed he had seen the Fresno man in the courtroom at East Cambridge in January and he wished to see the claimant to be sure. He got tired of waiting, finally, and left the hotel before the Fresno man appeared with his attorneys.

John Storey, an old Melrose man who knew Daniel Blake Russell, stayed around until all hope was gone. Mr. Storey admitted that he was a strong partisan of the North Dakota claimant and he said he was positive of the identity of that claimant. Mr. Storey, though he has not testified, has been a companion of the North Dakota claimant for several months and he agreed that nothing could convince him that the Fresno man was the real Daniel Blake Russell. Mr. Storey wished to talk with the California Russell but he was not given the opportunity.

No More Questions.

Mr. Cartwright said that "certain things had happened" which had made it inexpedient to allow any more questioning of his client. "Necessity for such a promiscuous examination had passed," he said.

A SUNDAY AMERICAN want advt. is often the road to fortune.

POLICE UNEARTH CLEW IN SEARCH FOR BURGLAR WHO KILLED WOMAN

SPRINGFIELD, April 1.—Every available member of the police force, detectives, plain clothesmen and patrolmen, is to-day searching for the masked burglar who entered the home of Mrs. Sarah J. Dow in Round Hill, and killed Miss Martha B. Blackstone and shot Miss Harriet Dow. The police believe that they are now working on a clew which will enable them to catch the man.

The tragedy of last night was the culmination of a series of ten or twelve daring burglaries which have recently been perpetrated here. The detectives believe that the murderer and burglar they are now seeking is the man who has been guilty of all the burglaries.

The search is under the direction of Captain John H. Boyle of the detective bureau. Six suspects were arrested to-day. The police admit that they have nothing against these men other than they are suspicious characters. Nothing has been found against any of them which connects them with the murder. Other suspects are being rounded up for examination.

Miss Harriet Dow is resting comfortably to-day. It has just been learned that the brave girl used her own body as a shield to protect her defenceless mother.

When the maddened burglar was refused money and Miss Blackstone started to run from the room, the man fired at the young woman as he warned her. This leads the police to believe that he may be mad. Miss Dow, at the instant the man fired at Miss Blackstone, flung herself between the muzzle of the smoking revolver and her mother and received the next bullet in her own body.

Confronted With Gun.

He is described as being a young man about twenty-two years old, five feet ten inches tall and dressed in black clothes. He wore a black slouch hat and the lower part of his face was covered by a black mask.

Miss Blackstone, the dead woman, was thirty-five years old and the daughter of Charles J. Blackstone, a retired hardware dealer, living at No. 25 Elliott street. She graduated from Smith College in 1893 and has since been teaching in local schools. At the time of her death she was a teacher in the Jefferson Avenue School.

Miss Harriet Dow, the injured girl, lies in the Springfield Hospital with a bullet wound in her head.

Miss Dow is twenty-three years old and the youngest daughter of Mrs. Dow. She was also a teacher in the Jefferson avenue school.

Her sister, Miss Lucy Dow, and her mother, who were also in the room when the robber walked in and confronted them with the gun, are to-day confined to their beds, not having recovered from the shock accompanying the death of their friend and the shooting down of the daughter and sister.

Round Hill, the scene of the shooting, is the most fashionable section of Springfield, where many of the homes of the most prominent citizens are located.

Miss Blackstone was visiting Miss Dow, and, with Mrs. Dow, the mother, and Miss Lucy Dow, was seated in the living room bending over a table endeavoring to put together a jigsaw puzzle when suddenly a gruff voice demanded money.

Tried To Save Mother.

All four glanced quickly at the doorway, and there stood a masked man with a revolver in his hand, which he pointed at the heads of each one of the four alternately.

The women were stricken dumb with horror. Mrs. Dow was the first to collect her wits and calmly said: "We have no money." These words brought Miss Blackstone out of her trance, and she jumped to her feet and ran screaming for the shelter of a reception room.

The man intercepted her and at the same time fired. Miss Blackstone fell to the floor stone dead.

The woman had hardly struck the floor when the robber wheeled suddenly and faced the other women who, transfixed with horror, at what they had just seen, were cowering in the centre of the room. Instead of trying to make his escape he again raised the revolver and fired.

Miss Harriet Dow sprang in front of her mother and receiving a bullet in the head fell back on the floor dangerously wounded.

Immediately after firing the second shot the slayer turned and fled to the front door, leaped over the railing of the veranda and disappeared in the darkness. That was the last seen of him.

George Burnham, one of the Dow's neighbors, heard the shots and came running to the house. He made his way to the living room and stumbled over the body of Miss Blackstone. The other three women lay unconscious on the floor.

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Tapestry Rugs, 9x12	16.00	10.95
Axminster Rugs, 36 inches	4.50	3.25
Axminster Rugs, 27 inches	2.75	1.95
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MISS FARRAR TO WED? WELL, NOT APRIL 1

To-day was the time, according to report, that Geraldine Farrar was to make the announcement of her engagement to be married to a Springfield young man who is not a grand opera singer at all.

The Springfield young man will have to find some other fiancee. Geraldine Farrar is not engaged to anybody, and she is even fancy free. Miss Farrar was asked at the Hotel Touraine when her engagement would be announced. She referred the interviewer to her mother and father and they are authority for the statement that there is no truth in all the engagement rumors.

Mr. Farrar said: "I don't think Geraldine will be married until she gives up singing. I can say for her that she is engaged to no one, and has no idea of being married. She has a slight cold, and she is staying in bed to-day to rest up so that she may be sure of appearing to-morrow night. Every once in a while we hear this story about Geraldine's being engaged, each time, of course, a new name being connected with her own. There isn't anything in any of these reports."

Mrs. Farrar, the very type of charming mother that one likes to think Miss Geraldine has, appeared highly amused to think that her daughter was reported as being engaged to marry a man in Springfield.

"The mothers usually know, don't they, Mrs. Farrar whether or not their daughter's heart is fancy free," she was asked.

"Well, I think I should know whether Geraldine was losing her appetite or if she were in love, don't you know," said Mrs. Farrar, smiling. "I'm quite sure that Geraldine is not engaged to anyone. She hasn't a single thought about getting married."

"Then there aren't any solitaire rings up in her room that are, er-a ——"

"That she didn't pay for herself," supplemented Mrs. Farrar with a charming laugh. "No, all of Geraldine's rings are her own."

And again Mrs. Farrar laughed, evidently happy in the thought that her very charming daughter is still all her own.

B. C. DEBATERS WIN.

NEW YORK, April 1.—The debaters of Boston College won a unanimous decision over the members of the Fordham University debating team on the proposition of a guaranty of deposits in national banks. The Boston men argued in favor of such a guaranty, while the Fordham team had the negative of the question.

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Personal Items

MISS ADDY DOUGLAS MACKENZIE, eldest daughter of Mrs. Charlotte R. Mackenzie, who inherited $1,000,000 upon the death of her husband, a sewing machine manufacturer, began proceedings in New York to prevent her mother from squandering any of the fortune.

HARLOW N. HIGGINBOTHAM, seventy-two, a millionaire, who was president of the World's Columbian Exposition, is tramping from Hot Springs, Va., to Clarksburg, W. Va., nearly 200 miles.

JAMES GALWAY, a noted horseman, is dead at New York. He was seventy-five years old and had been ailing for two years. He was born in Stewartstown, Ireland.

NAT GOODWIN, the actor, and A. L. Webster have bought the Gladysdale ranch at San Jacinto, Cal., for $55,000.

CAPTAIN PETER C. HAINES, JR., convicted of felony and serving a term in the penitentiary, is to lose his position in the army if a bill introduced by Representative Slayden of Texas becomes a law.

GUTSON BORGLUM, the sculptor, has purchased a country estate of 200 acres in Stamford, Ct., and is planning to erect a large home and studio on it.

MRS. E. R. THOMAS, wife of the former banker who is now seriously ill in Europe as the result of an automobile accident a year ago, has returned to New York.

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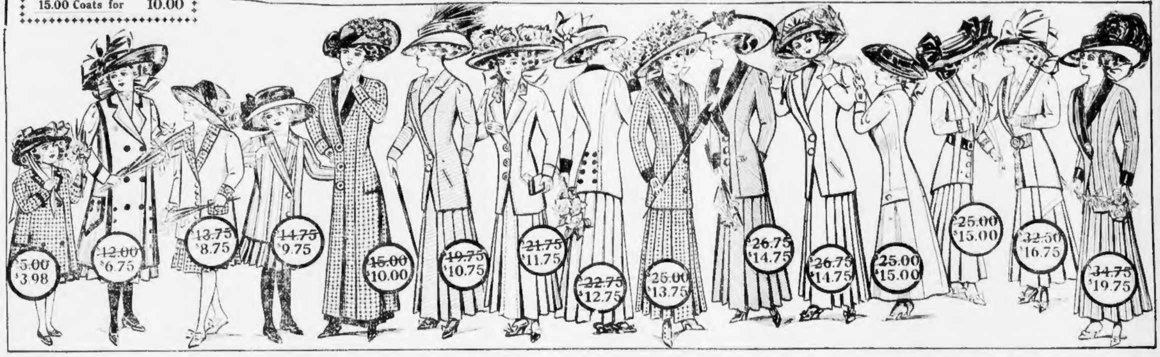

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That's what the girl in the song could do.

But the Boston high school girl of the near future will be able to do that and more as soon as the new athletic scheme of Dr. Thomas F. Harrington, physical director of the schools, gets under way.

We can look forward to items like this on the sporting pages of the Boston newspapers.

GLADYS PROTESTED.

The [illegible] standing of Miss Gladys [illegible], the [illegible] first baseman of the Girls' Latin School, has been questioned by the athletic committee of the Boys' Latin School. The committee charges that Gladys played in the Summer vacation on the Webfoot team of [illegible] Centre for pay. Her salary was said to be a pound of fudge and two matinee tickets every three games. As Gladys is one of the fastest players on the Girls' Latin team, with a batting average of .450, the eligibility question is a serious one, coming as it does on the eve of the Interscholastic League games. Gladys makes flat denial and says the charges come from a [illegible] blonde candidate for the Girls' Latin team who has been kept on the players' bench so far because she would wear French heels.

What the Doctor Orders.

Dr. Harrington doesn't specify that the school girls must play baseball, but he does specify certain forms of exercise that baseball contains.

In her freshman year the high school girl must qualify in her regular gymnasium work. Then she must [illegible] able to play:

A. Two running games,
B. Two throwing games,
C. Two striking games,
D. Must show skill at one out-door recreation in addition to doing a thirty-yard dash and a jump.

The girl must also show skill in either [illegible] dramatics, rhythmic exercises, folk dances or song games.

Any girl who learns to play two running games, two throwing games and two striking ones has gathered the elements of baseball.

What a Chance.

Then look out, boys! What chance will boys have against girl baseball players? Supposing Jones of the Boys' Latin is at the bat with two out and three on bases. Just as Jones gets his eye on a fair ball and prepares to crack out a home run, Miss Mazie M[illegible], the star catcher on the girls' team, jabs a hatpin into Jones's leg and Jones loses the game.

And how about the umpire question? If a boy is umpire all the prettiest girl players will get favorable decisions. And what girl umpire is going to rule against Handsome Harry, the stalwart blonde, who charms every girl with a mere glance?

The athletic course for girls is to be increased as the school years progress. Here is Dr. Harrington's program for seniors:

Fourth year: Each girl must be able to play (a) four running games; (b) four throwing games; (c) four striking games; (d) must show skill and practice in four outdoor recreations, in addition to (1) swimming: (a) 40 yards in 50s.; (b) 60 yards in 50s.; (c) diving; (d) carrying burden in water, and (2) track and field events: (a) 60-yard dash; (b) one jumping event.

By this time our high school girl, with biceps on her like a blacksmith, is an expert baseball player, a crack hurdler, a dandy pole vaulter and a regular Annette Kellermann for swimming.

How About Weddings.

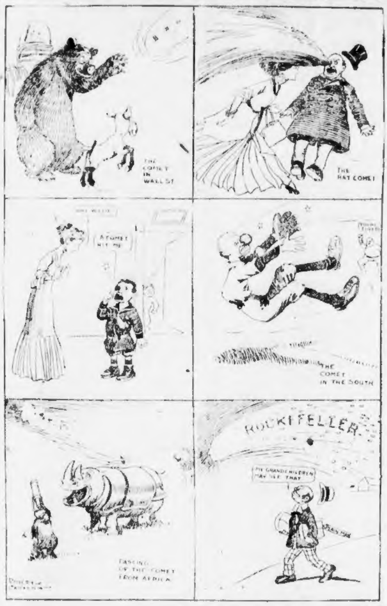
That the girls will go in for athletics with a vim is certain. It gives them too good a chance to compete with the boys on their own ground.

The effect on the marriage question is a problem. What youth, for instance, will dare to hitch up with a girl who holds the interscholastic record for hammer throwing and putting the shot?

The boys will play games with these athletic wonders, but will they marry them? Dr. Harrington needs to consider this prospect before he turns all Boston high school girls into strong-armed experts.

THE NEW STATUE FIGURE—Lady Duff Gordon will give in detail the latest development of corsets and gowns. Every woman should read this in the Sunday American.

IN THE DAYS OF THE COMET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A COMET HIT ME
THE COMET IN THE SOUTH
PASSING OF THE COMET FROM AFRICA
ROCKEFELLER
MY GRANDCHILDREN MAY SEE THAT
PLAIN MAN

DAN MAHONEY IS DROMIO TO D. B. RUSSELL

Senator Dan Mahoney of Holyoke, who is now spending his fifth year in the State Senate and will probably serve there so long as he feels like it, has been mistaken for the second claimant to the Russell fortune now being contested for in the Middlesex County Probate Court.

As the Senator moved from one hotel to another and then to the opera last night he was pointed out time and again as "Dan" Russell No. 2, but he didn't realize exactly what made him the target for so many eyes until to-day, and then the discovery came to him as an accident.

In the lobby of the Quincy House last night dozens of persons turned to look again and again at him. At the Adams House it was the same way. He was pointed out by scores of people. At the Touraine the same thing took place.

Then, in evening clothes, Senator Mahoney at the opera was made almost uncomfortable by the attention he attracted. From the opera he went to the Somerset with a friend whom he left there. Even in the Somerset people wheeled around and gazed long and curiously at the statesman from Holyoke. On his way back to the Adams House Senator Dan soliloquized.

"Wonder what it's all about. Never attracted so much attention in my life before. Wonder if it's my evening clothes. Can't be for the reason that I'm a statesman and everyone knows that. Well, it beats me; that's all there is to it."

To-day, as with long, dignified stride he strode across the Common to the State House a great light shone. A man he never saw before in his life rushed up to him, reached for and wrung his hand and murmured fervently: "I wish you luck. Hope you'll get your fortune."

Then it dawned on Senator Dan.

"I've been taken for James K. Hackett," he said, "and Kyrle Bellew and a dozen other great actors and statesmen, but never before as a probable heir to a big fortune."

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CARNEGIE SAYS MILLIONS COME HARDER NOW

CHICAGO, April 1.—Speaking before the Chicago Press Club at a luncheon in his honor, Andrew Carnegie said:

"There will be fewer millionaires in the United States in the future. It is growing more difficult to make millions. I thoroughly believe in profit sharing with employes, under such plan as that adopted by the Steel Corporation.

"Millionaires considered merely as gatherers and hoarders of wealth, have never succeeded in rising to a place of honor and respect and never will.

"Many men in charge of great industries are not primarily millionaires nor ambitious to become so. Take that messenger boy, Brown of the New York Central, McCrea of the Pennsylvania, Ripley of the Santa Fe, also those telegraph messenger boys Hughitt, Earling, Garry and Vanderlip. None of these men are primarily pursuers of money, and who among them is not more deeply concerned that they shall protect well the treasure committed to his care?

"If a father leaves his wealth to his children through pride in order that his sons may be above their fellows, he does a thing that is below American spirit. There is no room for 'dandyism' here."

In the course of an interview later, in which he likened Speaker Cannon to Abraham Lincoln and declared that the United States Senate was the finest legislative body in the world, and admitted that he couldn't sit through one grand opera out of four, Mr. Carnegie was asked his opinion of the voluntary advances in salaries announced by certain eastern railroads.

"The United States Steel Corporation raised our dividends," he said, "so why shouldn't we raise salaries as well. Capital is always better able to suffer than labor, and it should always be made to suffer first."

STEAM YACHT NOW IS FISHER CRAFT

There were varied emotions at T wharf when the steamer Philomena, until recently a crack plasure yacht, came in with a fare of fish. The Philomena was once the flagship of the Portland Yacht Club, but for the rest of her days she will be used on the fishing grounds. Her first fare consisted of 13,000 pounds of pollock.

FITFY YEARS A PASTOR.

The Church of the New Jerusalem on Bowdoin street to-morrow will celebrate the golden anniversary of the Rev. James Reed, marking fifty years of service in the ministry, all of which he has spent as pastor of that church.

The Argument

When it is known that its power to strengthen the system and build up the body is why Father John's Medicine cures colds, it will be understood why it is so valuable as a tonic and for driving the impurities out of the system. It feeds the tissues and makes strength; prevents consumption—not a patent medicine; pure and wholesome—50 years in use.

COMET DUE IN THREE WEEKS

LAKE GENEVA, Wis., April 1.—Within a few days the great Yerkes telescope at the Williams Bay observatory of the University of Chicago will pick out from space Halley's comet, for whose appearance all the astronomers of the West are watching. At present the comet is hidden by the brilliancy of the sun, around which it is just completing its parabolic orbit, but the comet has now passed the sun and will soon be within reach of the great telescope. The comet is likely to be sufficiently clear to be seen by the naked eye within three weeks, and from that time until May 19, when it attains its greatest brilliancy, it will become plainer nightly.

ANOTHER BANK TO CUT INTEREST RATE

Trustees of the Boston Five Cent Savings Bank will this month vote to reduce the annual interest rate from 4 to 3½ per cent. by declaring a semi-annual dividend of 1¾ per cent., payable this month. This reduction, however, will probably be for this interest payment only, and the 4 per cent. basis will probably be restored in October, as the present reduction is mainly due to setting aside about $50,000 for the guaranty fund, made necessary by a large increase in deposits. With the reduction by the Boston Five Cent Savings Bank, six of the seventeen Boston savings banks will be paying 3½ per cent. interest. They are the Provident, Eliot, Suffolk, Institution of Roxbury, Five Cent and Boston and North End. The remaining banks are paying 4 per cent.

RESCUE AUTOS FROM FLAMES

Firemen saved six automobiles from a fire that started in the basement passageway of the one-story wooden building occupied by the Lambert Auto Agency at No. 64 Pembroke street, South End, early to-day.

The firemen broke in the front door of the building and ran the autos into the street. By this time the flames were eating up to the street floor, but were extinguished after a damage of about $200.

The blaze was caused by hot ashes in a barrel. The property is owned by Mrs. E. G. Frost.

TEMPERANCE MAN ASKS RUM LICENSE

WORCESTER, April 1.—Eric August Hartz has been expelled from the Swedish-Finnish Lutheran church because he applied for a liquor license. Hartz has been a leading member of the church and president of the Avasaksa Temperance Society. Chairman John Peterson of the church board says: "There have been no saloon keepers as members of our church in the past and there will be none in the future." Both the church and the temperance society have filed protests against the license.

ROOSEVELT SEES MT. ETNA

TAORMINA, Sicily, April 1.—Ex-President Roosevelt, en route from Alexandria to Naples, arrived here to-day and broke his journey to witness the eruption of Mt. Etna.

The eruption of Mt. Etna has entered upon a new phase. A fresh volcanic paroxysm has spurred on the lava streams to rapid advances. The chief stream has an impressive velocity of fifty yards an hour. The lava is extraordinarily incandescent.

The stream is twelve feet deep and fifty yards wide. Last night it reached a mule tract which passes behind Monte Rossi and leads from Nicolossi to the hamlet of Regalna. Here there is a sharp slope, and the lava fell with increased speed and a loud roar. A mute, sorrowful and helpless crowd of 2,000 peasants watched the irresistible advance of the stream, and when it crossed the road and invaded the plain of Elisi beyond the scene became really tragic.

"Uncle Sam" gives expert advice on the food problems of the day in next SUNDAY'S AMERICAN. Every household should profit thereby.

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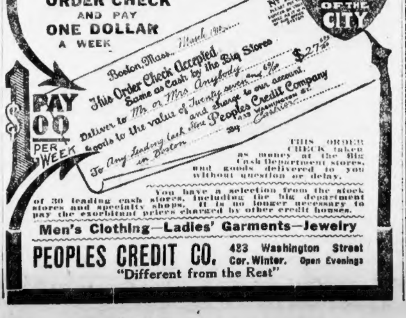
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Cornfed Prime Beef, to roast, first cuts. Regular price 23c, our price, lb......	15c
Cornfed Prime Beef, to roast, second cuts. Regular price 18c, our price, lb.	12½c
Choice Cuts of Veal, to roast. Regular price 17c, our price, lb......	12½c
Fresh Calf Livers. Regular price 30c, our price, each	20c
Sirloins of Beef, to roast, choice cuts. Regular price 28c, our price, lb......	18c
Fresh Cut Asparagus, double bunches. Regular price 50c, our price..........	30c
Fresh Picked Dandelions. Regular price per peck, 50c, our price..............	20c
Fresh Shore Haddock. Regular price 8c, our price, lb.	4c
Fresh Eastern Halibut. Regular price 20c, our price,	2 lbs. for 25c
Finnan Haddies. Regular price 12c, our price, lb..	7c

Grocery Department

Drake's Sponge Cake. Copy of "Drake's Cakewalk" free with every loaf. Special price 18c a loaf...........	18c
Grandmother's Cookies or Spice Jumbles. 3 lbs. for 25c or 9c a lb.................	9c
Fancy Extra Sliced Hawaiian Pineapple, large tin. Regular price 30c, special price	24c
Fancy French Sardines. Regular price 20c tin, special	12½c
Spanish Olives. Regular price 15c, special price	12c
Quaker Puffed Rice. Regular price 15c package, special price	12c
Our "Pride of Boston" Maleberry Coffee. Regular price 35c lb., special price...	27c
Fancy Peanut Butter, in bulk. Regular price 15c lb., at	11c
Fancy Fresh Eggs. Guaranteed at 25c a dozen	25c

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Girls' All-Wool Mixture Coats, regular value $2.98, sizes 6 to 14 years, special at $1.98

Girls' Coats $2.98
Girls' Coats in a large assortment of pretty mixtures, value $5.00, sizes 6 to 14, special at.................. $2.98

Girls' Dresses 98c
Girls' Dresses, in a new assortment of beautiful plaids, sizes 6 to 14 years, value $1.50, special at............. .98c

Girls' Dresses $1.98
Girls' Dresses, Anderson gingham plaids, sizes 6 to 14 years, value $2.98, special at.................. $1.98

Children's Dresses 59c
Children's Dresses, chambray, gingham and percale, plain colors, checks and stripes, sizes 2 to 6 years, special at.................. .59c

Children's Dresses 98c
Children's Dresses, sizes 2 to 6 years, a new lot of gingham plaids, value $1.50, special at.................. .98c

Boys' Suits $1.98
Boys' Suits, in blue cheviot and mixtures, sizes 3 to 17, an exceptional value for Saturday at............ $1.98

Blue Serge Suits $2.98
Boys' Suits, of excellent blue serge and fancy mixtures, Norfolk, coat and Russian styles, special at..... $2.98

Boys' Knicker Suits 3.98
500 New Suits, in all the latest patterns, fine blacks and a fine assortment of mixtures, special at........ $3.98

Boys' Caps 19c
A Special Lot of Boys' Eton Caps in an excellent assortment of patterns, for this sale only at .... .19c

Boys' Blouses 29c
A Tremendous Assortment of Boys' Blouses in very neat patterns, special at .... .29c

Boys' Pants 39c
Boys' Knicker and Bloomer Pants, guaranteed not to rip, an exceptional value for only..... .39c

Boys' Reefers $2.98
These Nobby Reefers are the latest Spring styles in serge, covert and shepherd plaids, for $2.98

DEDHAM ASKS FINANCE BOARD

Dedham got two [illegible] surprises to-day. First it learned [illegible] its tax rate was going up twenty-five cents. Then the news came that the committee of twenty-one, instructed to draw up the warrant for the town meeting, recommended that the town be investigated after the manner of the Boston Finance Commission.

The committee of twenty-one had other surprises in store. They reported a warrant with sixty-three articles, the largest number ever in the history of the town. Then they had the largest appropriation in the history of the town, $200,600. The tax rate this year will be $17.05 instead of $16.80 as last year.

SOCIETY WOMAN IN AUTO CRASH

Mrs. Charles P. Howland, a prominent society woman of No. 129 Chestnut street, West Newton, had a narrow escape from death or serious injury today when an electric car crashed into the automobile in which she was riding. The accident occurred at Boylston and Gloucester streets.

With Mrs. Howland was Theodore Dahlburg, her chauffeur. He was crossing Boylston street to make the full turn required by the traffic regulations, to start in town. Just as he got on to the tracks the car jammed into the auto, on the side where Mrs. Howland was sitting.

APRIL FOOL

HERE ARE SOME APRIL FOOL NOVELTIES

DIED WITH $4,000 IN HER SKIRT.

UTICA, April 1.—Ellen Holmes, eighty, who was found dead in her room in a boarding house, had $3,954.87 sewed in her skirt. Of this $140 was in gold.

DIES IN A DANCE AT SEA.

NEW YORK, April 1.—Clarence McIlhenny of No. 4,810 Cedar avenue, Philadelphia, dropped dead while waltzing on the White Star liner Adriatic on her last trip from Southampton.

JUDGE PUNCHES MAN IN COURT.

CHICAGO, April 1.—When Martin Solki, a spectator in Judge Kaske's court in Hammond, Ind., persisted in abusing the court the judge left the bench and landed a stiff right hand swing on Solki's jaw, drawing blood.

NOW YOU MAY EAT ROSES.

BERKELEY, Cal., April 1.—Hugo Lilienthal, a local horticulturist, announces the discovery of an edible fruit from the climbing rose. He declares that this fruit will in time take the place of the logan berry, to which is is allied.

GRAB SEAT FIRST, ITS YOURS.

ST. LOUIS, April 1.—"Title to a seat in a street car rests in the man who gets it first in preference to the man who sees it first," declared Judge Kleiber, in Municipal Court, his decision settling a long disputed point in the conduct of strap hangers.

TAKES HER TEETH OUT TO TALK.

NEW YORK, April 1.—Mrs. Helen Gray is unable to open or close her mouth without removing her new store teeth, she told Justice Hoffman in the Yorkville Municipal Court during the trial of her suit for $50 against Dr. Selim Worster, a dentist. When she wants to talk she takes her teeth out.

HIS PRAYING TOO MUCH FOR HER.

NEW YORK, April 1.—Mrs. Annie Nolan of No. 315 First street, Jersey City, told Police Judge Farmer that her husband Terrence prays fervently when she wants to sleep and beats her when she wakes up and objects. On several occasions, she said, her husband had made supplication from the top of the dining table.

BUFFALO JONES ROPES 'EM ALIVE.

NEW YORK, April 1.—"Buffalo" Jones, who went to Africa to rope and tie animals on which Colonel Roosevelt used a rifle, has made good. F. W. Bird, a lawyer, has received this cablegram from Nairobi: "Roped and tied rhinos, giraffes, leopards, cheetahs and others. Immense rhino bull made trouble. Charged hundred times. Smashed tripod; operator escaped. Lions and buffalo next. Men, horses and dogs in splendid condition. "JONES."

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BIG ACTIVITY IN REAL ESTATE FIRST OF APRIL

The first day of the new month opened with a big increase in real estate sales and many important properties changed hands, including the estate at No. 167 Beacon street, near Massachusetts avenue, which has been purchased by Helen L. Kennard from Horace H. Stevens et al. It comprises a four-story, swell-front, brick house and 2,088 square feet of land, all taxed for $35,500, of which $14,800 is on the land.

Another Back Bay sale is that of the large lot of land on Huntington avenue, between Cumberland street and Massachusetts avenue, containing 5,760 square feet of land and assessed for $34,400, to the Back Bay Baths, Inc., by Sara Rosenthal.

The Estabrook Real Estate Trust have sold to Clarence H. Lewis, title coming through James H. Pickering, the estate at Nos. 16 and 18 Chardon street, West End, consisting of a brick building and 1,936 square feet of land. The total assessed value is $20,300, of which $15,000 is on the land and $5,300 is on the building. The premises is near Bowdoin square. Joseph Fabb represented the seller and T. A. Murray the purchaser.

The two properties at Nos. 867 and 871 Boylston street, near Gloucester street, have been transferred to Arthur H. Marks of the Diamond Rubber Company of Akron, O. The two properties have an area of 4,928 square feet. It is the intention of the purchaser to at once erect a six-story fireproof building as headquarters for the New England business of the Diamond Rubber Company. No. 867 Boylston street was transferred by William H. Rothwell, who acquired title last month, and No. 871 Boylston street by Walter G. Chase, who acquired title in January. The negotiations were conducted by Whitcomb, Wead & Co.

In the West End the four-story brick house and 1,128 square feet of land, all taxed for $4,100, at No. 27 Poplar street, near Chambers street, have been sold by Louis [illegible] to David Kaplan. The land is assessed for $1,400.

Ida Magid has sold to Dora [illegible] the three and one-half-story and basement swell front brick house and 1,295 square feet of land at No. 14 Laconia street, near Harrison avenue, South End. The land is taxed for $2,500, the total rating being $5,500.

The real estate firm of Whitcomb, Wead & Co. of No. 16 State street, which began business on April 1, 1890, has been dissolved by limitation and is succeeded by Lawrence and Howard Whitcomb under the firm name of Whitcomb & Co., who will continue the business at the same location. Leslie C. Wead, who retires from the firm, will now be associated with his son, Henry K. Wead, in the conduct of a general real estate business at No. 15 Congress street.

The files of the Real Estate Exchange show a large increase for the month of March in the number of conveyances and the amount of the same at the Suffolk Registry of Deeds over the corresponding month of last year and also 1908. The number of transfers is slightly below that of a year ago, but show a big gain over those of March, 1908. The following table shows the entries of record for the month of March:

No. transfers	2,041	2,122	1,676
No. mortgs	1,078	928	666
Amt. mortgs	$4,055,580	$4,171,421	$3,328,126

Thomas Scott has sold to Henry C. Mulligan the two frame houses and 4,881 square feet of land at Nos. 20-24 [illegible] street, corner of Columbia avenue, Roxbury. This estate is assessed on a total valuation of $11,500, of which $7,800 is on the land.

Herbert G. Sumner has purchased from Shirley P. Graves the frame dwelling and 7,098 square feet of land, all taxed for $5,500, at No. 7 Laurel street, near Dale street, Roxbury. The land is rated for $1,500.

Warren F. Freeman of the Kimball Building reports the sale of the estate at No. 171 Maple street, Highland station, West Roxbury, consisting of a new twelve-room frame dwelling with all modern improvements, together with about 5,000 square feet of land, to Frederick E. Atwood of Brookline, who will occupy for a home. The house, being new, is not assessed. Terms are private.

Frank S. Mason, Thompson Square, Charlestown, reports the final passing of papers on the frame dwelling located at No. 56 Glenwood road, Somerville. John A. Finnigan conveys to Katherine E. McVarish, who buys for occupancy. The property consists of a frame dwelling on a lot containing 4,480 square feet of land, assessed for $1,000, the total assessment being $2,400.

In Roxbury the two frame houses and 2,807 square feet of land at the corner of Woodward avenue and George street, all assessed for $5,300, have been sold by Loretta F. Abbott, trustee, and Mary L. R. Wallis to Bessie E. Pinanski, title passing through Daniel J. A'Hearn. The land is taxed for $1,200.

Frank B. Bemis et al., trustees, have sold to Adeline B. Strong the estate at No. 40 Greenough avenue, near Elm street, West Roxbury, comprising a frame house and 10,035 square feet of land, all assessed for $12,000, of which $5,000 is on the land.

The estate at No. 58 Rockview street, West Roxbury, consisting of a frame house and 6,777 square feet of land, all taxed for $7,400, has been sold by Hattie E. Patterson to Thomas W. Carter.

Margaret L. Strong et al. have sold to Benjamin Snyder the frame house and 7,605 square feet of land at No. 24 Sutherland road, near Englewood avenue, Brighton. This estate is assessed on a total valuation of $7,000, of which amount $4,800 is on the land.

J. W. Wilbur of No. 80 State street reports the purchase by himself of one hundred acres of excellent property at Waterbury, Ct., from D. J. McCarthy. This will be added to the many properties Mr. Wilbur is now developing for investors and homebuyers.

TWO WOMEN SEEK DIVORCE IN DEDHAM

Two women to-day filed suits for divorce in Norfolk County Court in Dedham. They are Mrs. Mabel Robinson of Quincy and Mrs. Mary Spring of Dedham. Mrs. Robinson asks to be freed from Harry C. Robinson. She charges cruel and abusive treatment. They were married February 24, 1897. She asks for the custody of her minor child, Harry E. Robinson. Mrs. Spring asks for a divorce from Charles Spring, whom she charges with gross and confirmed habits of intoxication. They were married in Holliston in September, 1897, and lived for some time in Boston.

MISSOURI RATE CASE BRIEF FILED

WASHINGTON, April 1.—The brief of the Interstate Commerce Commission in the Missouri River rate cases was filed to-day in the United States Supreme Court. The brief is an appeal by the commission from the decision of the United States Circuit Court of the Northern District of Illinois, which permanently restrained the commission for enforcing its order to the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railway Company and other roads, reducing classified freight rates.

"BOSTON AMERICAN" GIRL WINS APPROVAL

At the dancing party of the Merriam Rebecca Lodge of Odd Fellows in Lithgow Hall, Dorchester, last night, the fancy dresses and grotesque costumes of the women won many compliments. Mrs. Elwin Smith of No. 91 Lonsdale street, Dorchester, wore a gown made of colored suplements of the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN and a mask with the name BOSTON AMERICAN printed thereon in large black letters. The belt was made of the head and date line of the SUNDAY AMERICAN. It was a very pretty creation and was a feature of the very successful party. On the committee were Mrs. A. W. Rowe, chairman; Mrs. H. Hazlett, Mrs. Bertha Randall, Mrs. Caroline Chapman, Mrs. Carrie McNally, Alonzo Randall and A. Nicholson.

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25c Linen Canvas—All shrunk; black, white and natural. Yard 19c

GLOVER TOLD DETECTIVE HE HAD TO SIGN A WILL

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'get something' on his wife, as she was 'a sport' and 'fly,' and he wanted something to offset what she had on him. I told him I would be ready to go to work the next Monday. He was killed on Saturday before that Monday.

"When he told me the whole situation I thought he was the victim of a frame-up. He said that his wife had threatened to shoot him."

Richard J. Blackmore of No. 590 East Eighth street, South Boston, who described himself as "an investigator and gatherer of information for different purposes," then took the witness stand. He was questioned by Attorney Gove:

Q.—Did you know Clarence F. Glover? A.—Yes.

Q.—When did you first meet him? A.—Early in April of last year.

Q.—Where? A.—In the basement of the Hotel Touraine.

Q.—Tell us the conversation that took place. A.—Mr. Glover said, "How do you do, Blackmore; how is business?" I said, "Fine. How do you know what my business is?" He said, "I know your line." Then he told me that he had some work for me that he wanted me to investigate. I asked him on what line. He replied, that his wife claimed that he had been too attentive to his servant girl (Hattie Le Blanc) and that he wanted a man who could act as chauffeur and at the same time could get information for him.

Glover Denied the Charge.

I asked him if the accusation was true and he denied it. I said: "Why don't you get the servant out of the house?" He then told me that the servant spoke French and that he did not understand it. I told him then that I could not do anything for him at that time, because I was too busy. He asked me when I would be at leisure and I told him possibly that night or later. He asked me to let him know when I would be ready.

He said he was in a bad fix, that it was "State's prison, a bullet or sign away his rights."

I said that was "kind of a tough mess." He told me to call him up and gave me his telephone number. I called him up later in November.

Q.—What time in April did you meet him? A.—About the 1st of April.

Q.—Can you definitely fix the time? A.—Probably within five days of the month.

Q.—And the next time you had an interview with him was in November? A.—Yes.

Q.—Where was that? A.—At the same place. He phoned me to meet him there.

"I've Had to Sign a Paper."

Q.—How soon after he telephoned you did he meet you? A.—I phoned him in the afternoon. He was there at night.

Q.—What time was it in November? A.—Somewhere about the 1st, possibly the 8th or 9th.

Q.—What conversation did you have with him then? (Elmore objected on the ground that the evidence was subsequent to the making of the will, but he was overruled.) A.—He came to meet me and asked me if I was ready to do business. I said, yes, but it would be next week or the week after.

He told me, "I'm sorry you didn't get busy when I spoke to you last. I've had to sign a will." I said, "That's too bad." He replied, "If you can get results, that will make a difference." I then asked him a few questions about his wife. He said she was "a sport" and "inclined to be fly," and that I ought to be able to get something to offset what his wife had. I told him that I would be ready to go to work for him the week following, possibly Monday. It was on the Saturday night before this that he was killed.

Q.—Do you recognize the pictures that I show you as the picture of the man you saw on those two occasions? A.—He was a little older than the pictures show.

Cross-Examined by Elmore.

Q.—How old do you think he was? A.—Thirty-eight or forty.

The witness was then cross-examined by Elmore.

Q.—And he told you in April that he was guilty of improper conduct with the servant? A.—He said he was accused of it.

Q.—He denied that he was guilty of wrongdoing? A.—Yes.

Q.—Did you think he was lying at the time? A.—I thought possibly that he might have been friendly with the girl.

Q.—Was that the reason that you did not take up the case? A.—Up to the time that he told me that the girl spoke French I thought he was guilty, but when he told me that she spoke only French and that he did not understand her I thought that there was a chance that he was falsely accused.

Q.—Then when you found that the girl could not speak English, you thought him falsely accused? A.—Yes.

Q.—You didn't pay much attention to what he said, did you, because he hadn't actually retained you and paid you? A.—That's right.

Q.—And you may be mistaken as to what was said? A.—There is very little to be mistaken on.

"Can't Be Mistaken."

Q.—But there may be some parts that you may be mistaken on to-day? A.—I don't think there is anything that I may be mistaken on. What he told me impressed me so that it stayed in my mind.

Q.—Did you have any other half-hour conversations that day with any other people? A.—I talked with Mr. Dolan.

Q.—What Mr. Dolan? A.—He is a musician there.

Q.—When he told you that story, I suppose you thought that because the girl could not talk English that he couldn't have been guilty? A.—I thought it was pretty hard for him if she couldn't talk English.

Q.—What did you say to him about that? A.—I said, "Of course you're not guilty," and he said "No."

Q.—Did you believe that he was guilty when he said "No?" A.—I didn't give it much thought. I suppose that nine out of ten men who were guilty wouldn't say so. But after he told me the character of his wife and the kind of woman she was and that the girl didn't talk English, I thought that he was the victim of a frame-up.

Q.—When he met you in November and said that he thought you could get as much on her as she had on him, did you then think that he was guilty? A.—I knew he must be guilty of something.

Holds Special License.

Q.—How did you happen to discuss this matter with him? A.—He said that he knew about a case of nomination papers in Boston that I had worked on. It was the case of a man named Williamson on the Socialist ticket. He was familiar with the details in the case and I suppose that somebody had told him about me.

Q.—Are you a licensed detective? A.—No, sir.

Q.—What do you call yourself? A.—Anything you want to. I am a licensed chauffeur and a licensed pilot, and I hold a license from the State for gathering special information.

Q.—Do you receive pay for gathering information? A.—Always. I never work for nothing.

Q.—Do you keep an office? A.—No, but I can always be found in three or four different offices if I am wanted.

Q.—Is one of those offices in the basement of the Hotel Touraine? A.—No, sir.

Q.—What did you say to Mr. Glover when he told you about his wife? A.—I told him that I couldn't go into the case because I was busy working on another case.

"Prison" or the "Bullet."

Q.—If I remember rightly, you testified that Mr. Glover said to you that it was a case of "prison, a bullet or signing away his rights"? A.—He said it was a case of state's prison, a bullet or signing away his life or rights." I am not sure whether he said "life" or "rights."

Q.—Did you ask him what he meant by that? A.—No, he said it was "a nice outfit," and I agreed that it was.

Q.—Did he say which of the three he intended to choose? A.—No.

Q.—Did he say that he preferred prison to the bullet? A.—No.

Q.—What did he say to you about his wife threatening him? A.—He told me that she had threatened to shoot him.

Q.—How do you fix the time of the April conversation with Glover? A.—I know where I was the first of May. I know where I was on March 1 and I remember that it was about April 1 that I had the conversation.

Q.—Who found you as a witness in this case? A.—I met a Mr. Smith in New York.

Q.—What is his full name? A.—Lawrence, they call him "Larry."

Met Smith at Shanley's.

Q.—Where did you meet him in New York? A.—I met him at Shanley's, downtown, near Broadway.

Q.—Not the one near Forty-second street? A.—No, Shanley's, downtown.

Q.—How did you happen to meet him? A.—E. P. Barry of the Governor's Council sent for him.

Q.—Did Mr. Barry send for Larry to introduce you to him? A.—No, he sent for him to come to dinner.

Q.—What did Larry say to you at that time? A.—He said he knew my line and that he had heard about me. He talked about several cases. He asked me what I was doing in New York, and I told him, and finally the conversation drifted to the point where I said that I came near being mixed up in the Glover case. He said "In what way?" and I went on and told him what I have told here. At that time I did not know that he was connected with the case.

Q.—Didn't you read about this case in the papers? A.—A very little.

Q.—Didn't you know at that time that Larry Smith's name was mentioned as being connected with the case? Didn't you know that he had promised to find the murderer? A.—If I read his name I did not remember it, because I did not know him until I met him in New York.

Didn't Want to Be Witness.

Q.—Did you tell the District Attorney what you knew? A.—No.

Q.—Didn't you regard the information which you had of importance? A.—Not to me. I wanted to keep out of it.

Q.—Didn't you regard this information of importance to the public prosecutor? A.—I didn't give it much thought. I didn't want to get mixed up in it.

Q.—How do you fix the date of the conversation you had with Larry Smith at Shanley's in New York. A.—I went to New York about the first of the year.

Q.—Did Larry Smith say anything to you while in New York about being a witness in this case? A.—He told me that he would like to use me as a witness in the case and I said, "Larry, I don't think there is any chance."

Q.—So you were familiar enough with him to call him "Larry?" A.—Well, that was not the first conversation when he said that. That was at the second conversation, three days later, at the Grand Central Station.

Q.—But you were familiar enough with him to call him "Larry," were you? A.—Well, we got pretty chummy the first night. He knew a lot of people that I knew and we got to talking over lots of things at the dinner.

Didn't Think Girl Was Guilty.

Q.—Was Larry pretty nice to you while you were in New York? Did he buy you any dinners? A.—I can't say that he did.

Q.—Did he tell you then that he had discovered who the murderer of Mr. Glover was? A.—No.

Q.—Did he seem to be in any doubt as to who did it? A.—He did say that he didn't think the little girl did it.

Q.—Did he tell you who did it? A.—No.

Q.—Didn't he tell you that Mrs. Lillian M. Glover had shot her husband? A.—No, sir.

Q.—Didn't he tell you that very forcibly? A.—No, sir.

Q.—What did Larry Smith say to you regarding your being a witness? A.—He said he would like to use me, and I said that I didn't think there was any chance.

Q.—Why did you tell him that? A.—I didn't expect to come back to Boston. I expected to be out of the State.

Q.—When did you first know that you were going to be called as a witness in this case? A.—In February.

Q.—How did you learn that? A.—Mr. Smith told me that Lawyer Gove wanted to see me, and I went to Mr. Gove's office, but he was too busy to see me at that time.

Repeats Glover's Words.

Q.—Now, will you kindly repeat the conversation that you had with Mr. Glover last April at the Hotel Touraine? A.—He said to me, "I've got some work that I would like to have you do for me." He said, "I'm in a little trouble at home." I asked him what it was and he said that his wife had accused him of being familiar with his servant. I said to him, "Of course your were not, were you?" He said, "No." He wanted to know how soon I could go to work for him, and I told him that I couldn't tell, as I was pretty busy. I said to him it was pretty hard telling, it might be two weeks and it might be a month. I asked him how bad a mixup it was, and he said, "It's bad enough. It's State's prison, or a bullet or signing away my life rights." I said to him, "That's a nice outfit. Why don't you fix it up? Why don't you get the girl out of the way," and he said, "I can't. She talks French, and I can't speak to her." I said to him, "Well, how do you expect me to talk with her, then?" He said to me, "You're a chauffeur, aren't you?" I said "Yes." He said, "That's good. You will be handy to get information." I believe that I then said to him that I would not be able to do anything for him for a couple of weeks, at least. He said that his wife was "a sport" and was "inclined to be fly" and "went around a good deal."

"There Goes Good Customer."

Q.—Could you not find time between April and November to take up Glover's case? A.—No. He wanted to pin me down to that case and nothing else. He wanted me to go out there and be on the job.

Q.—Were you not afraid that if you did not go out there he would go to State's prison or put a bullet in him? A.—Every man has troubles; they are always killing themselves or somebody else. At that time I did not think much of it. I thought it would heal up.

Q.—Did you think it would heal up before November? A.—Sometimes their troubles last for years. My first thought when I read about his death was: "There goes a good customer. He has gone and that finished my end of it."

This answer provoked laughter in the court room.

Q.—Tell us the conversation in November. A.—He said that there was still trouble there and that he wished me to get around. He told me that he had detectives working on it, but that he hoped I would get results. He said, "I've had to sign a will." He intimated that if I had got on the case he could have avoided signing the will. I told him then that I would be ready to go to work on Monday.

Didn't Speak of Divorce.

Q.—Did he say his wife had forgiven him? A.—He did not.

Q.—Did he say his wife had left him? A.—He did not.

Q.—Did he say she wanted to get a divorce? A.—He did not.

Q.—Did he say that she was entitled to get a divorce? A.—He did not.

Q.—Did he say he was guilty of improper relations with the servant? A.—He did not.

Q.—Did he say what other detectives had looked up the matter? A.—He said he and some New York agency on the case.

Q.—Did he tell you that he had an attorney? A.—No, I didn't inquire.

Q.—What was the telephone number he gave you in April? A.—I don't remember. I kept it in my book until I read of his death, then I tore the leaf from the book.

Q.—Whom did you work for in New York? A.—I do not care to give names, unless the Court orders me. It's a pretty big man and a pretty big case.

Attorney Gove then took up the redirect examination:

Q.—At the time that you had the interview with Mr. Smith in New York on New Year's Eve, was Mr. Barry present? A.—He was.

Q.—And Barry heard all of the conversation between you and Smith? A.—Yes.

Q.—Is E. P. Barry a member of the Governor's Council and a member of the Suffolk Bar? A.—Yes.

Elmore questioned at this point:

Q.—Does E. P. Barry's district include Ward 8 of Boston? A.—It does.

A short recess was taken. When court again came in Attorney Gove asked for additional time to confer with his brother lawyers. Then he said:

"We have now introduced all the evidence which we propose to offer on the question of undue influence, with the exception of the testimony of Hattie Le Blanc, and that, as Your Honor knows, we are not in a position to offer. We think her testimony is important in the case and we therefore ask that further hearings in this case shall be postponed until the criminal case against her shall have been tried, so that we may then use her as a witness."

The Judge's Ruling.

Judge McIntire said: "If the finding of this court were final I think I would be inclined to grant your request. But I think that this case should be further advanced and that the other side should have an opportunity to offer more testimony. Unless the other side is inclined to agree to a postponement I will rule against you."

Elmore said that he should strenuously oppose anything like postponement. Judge McIntire said:

"I was hoping that we might finish this case, so that you might get it into the April sitting of the Supreme Court."

"I don't think we can do that," said Gove. "The only thing that pertains to the case for us to proceed with is the second branch of the case relating to the matter of the murder. Upon this matter we feel obliged to confer with the District Attorney before we summons in his officers."

Attorney Elmore then said:

"The contestants have introduced all testimony regarding undue influence prior to the making of the will. I want to know if the court wants me to put in my case on the first branch or whether it will allow us to go ahead and argue if the sufficiency of the evidence on the first branch will warrant going into the other branch of the case. The contestants have thus far only produced one witness to give testimony as to alleged undue influence, and that was the witness called this morning.

Elmore Attacks Story.

"His testimony is absolutely without weight and possibly without belief. If the court is unwilling to pass on the contestant's case so far as the evidence now lies before it, I propose to go ahead now and offer my case. If the court requires me to close my case before making a ruling as to the sufficiency of the evidence of the first branch, I will go on and introduce my evidence at any time the court says."

Judge McIntire said: "It is for you to determine whether you will put in anything on the first branch or whether you will argue as to whether the contestants can bring in evidence on the second branch, that matter pertaining to the killing."

Attorney Elmore then asked the Court to set Monday morning at 9 o'clock as the time when he should start in with his case. The Court said that on account of the crowded condition of the court house next week he would be unable to have all-day sessions before Wednesday or Thursday of next week, and he could not under any conditions again take up the case before Tuesday afternoon for any afternoon session.

Attorney Gove said that he would be willing to go on Tuesday afternoon, but that he should require from the proponents a statement to the Court just what they intended to do.

Adjourn Till Tuesday.

"If Attorney Elmore rests his case," said Mr. Gove, "we can logically go forward on the arguments as to whether the evidence already introduced will warrant going into the second branch. If he does not rest his case we should not be obliged to make arguments. He should then be required to introduce evidence on the first branch of the case and then proceed in the regular order. This will allow evidence in rebuttal. Under no circumstances should we be required to give them our views as to the weight of evidence."

By mutual agreement court adjourned at this point until Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, at which time Elmore will make a statement as to what he proposes to do.

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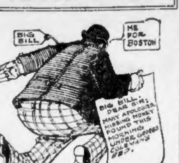
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SENATOR DANIEL BETTER.

DAYTONA, Fla., April 1.—Drs. Chowning and Bohannon to-day issued the following bulletin: "Senator Daniel had a very good night and talked plainly at times. He looks and appears better than for several days."

HOW TO EXERCISE—Information of greatest value to men and women by Mme. Cavalieri in the Sunday American.

BOSTON ART CLUB IN FINE NEW HOME

The work of remodeling and improving as well as re-furnishing and decorating the Boston Art Club has just been completed. The enlarged and refitted club rooms are thrown open to club members and their friends and from the opinions passed, the work has been entirely successful. The additions to the club comprise men's dining room, ladies' dining room, card room, reception room, parlor, private dining rooms and bed rooms. Every room has been fitted out in a distinctive manner, and each one is declared to be artistic and attractive. As an artistic whole everything is harmonious. The paper, carpets, draperies, furniture and color tones were well chosen, and it is little wonder that the members of the club are proud to take their friends there. The entire work was done by the Paine Furniture Company.

COLD KILLS MAN AFTER RARE CURE

Frank E. Bacon of Cortland, N. Y., is dead of a cold, after he had undergone a new and heroic treatment for rheumatism at the Carney Hospital, South Boston. His bones having hardened as the rheumatism progressed, the surgeons broke them and reunited them, while the hip joints were chiseled to permit of the moving of the ball in the socket. Bacon withstood the operation well, and had recovered from rheumatism sufficiently to leave the city when he caught the fatal cold at Binghamton, N. Y.

SCIENCE SUPPLANTS LUNGS—What the latest wonderful device of Modern Surgery has done will be told in detail in the Sunday American.

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Clears the Rheumatic Poison from the Blood and, with Proper Care, Prevents a Relapse.

Almost any pain or ache which cannot readily be accounted for is usually classified as rheumatism. Some of these are transient and cure themselves.

An actual attack of rheumatism is very difficult to cure so that it will stay cured. Ordinary treatment aims only to relieve the pain until the attack wears itself out. Then it is liable to recur again and usually does, year after year.

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Mr. Michael M. Leene, of No. 231 Singer street, Pittsburg, Pa., suffered for twenty years from rheumatism, but was finally cured by the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. He says:

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Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all druggists, or sent, postpaid, on receipt of price, 50 cents per box; six boxes for $2.50, by the Dr. Williams Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

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By springtime everyone is in a more or less played out condition—just right to catch any disease. Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey aids in destroying the disease germs, and by its building and healing properties restores tissues in a gradual, healthy and natural manner. As a tonic and stimulant it is the greatest strength giver known to science. It is a wonderful specific for this time of the year to enrich the blood and strengthen the system, which has been weakened by the long siege of winter and which needs building up from the attacks of coughs, colds, pneumonia, grippe, asthma, bronchitis and other winter ills which everyone is subject to. It aids digestion, quickens the heart action and restores health and vigor.

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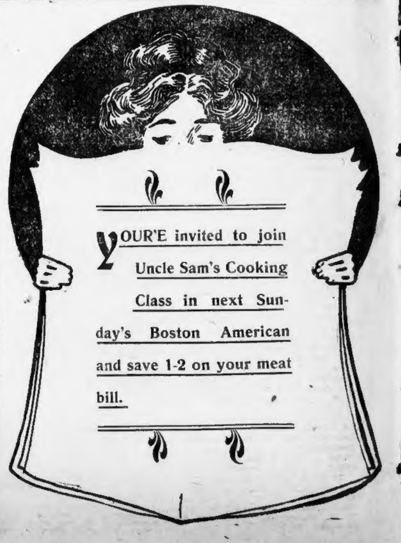

YOU'RE invited to join Uncle Sam's Cooking Class in next Sunday's Boston American and save 1-2 on your meat bill.

"I JUST LOVE COLEMAN, AND I'LL STICK BY HIM," SAYS WESTERN FIANCEE

Miss Mary Hightower, who has got Boston guessing as to whether she is the bride or the bride-to-be of George W. Coleman, the looter of the Cambridge National City Bank, in a chat with a reporter of the AMERICAN, declares that she loves the young man, that she came East from her Kansas City home so that she might be near him in his trouble, that she does not pretend to know what the trouble really is that he is in, and that she has no stage aspirations.

The young woman is a pronounced brunette, twenty-one years of age. She is petite of figure. Her face is prettily chiselled. There is a flash in her eye denoting the fighting spirit. There was evidence of suffering and worry on her face.

The Reason Why.

"This is the first time that I have spoken to a newspaper man," said the young woman. "I am glad to be here, but I am not courting publicity. I am here because I love George Coleman. That, I should think, explains my presence in the East.

"You cannot expect me to understand George's troubles as an older person would. I do not try to match the parts together. It is quite a puzzle to me, so I do not undertake to discuss the case. But I am glad to be near him, he is glad to have me near, and maybe somehow I can be useful, how I do not know."

"George says you are both a singer and a piano player of considerable merit."

"Well, I was taking lessons in both while stopping with friends in New York when we first met. Perhaps it made an impression upon his memory."

"And you are a good seamstress according to some of the reports," laughingly added one of the younger Coleman brothers.

Miss Hightower smiled for the first time as she replied: "I am in fact about the poorest seamstress you ever saw. I do not know the first thing about it. It is perhaps unfortunate, but I have never worked. Also I have been amused at many little things given out about me. I am quite unused to publicity but I suppose it is all right."

"Will you make use of your music as a future business?"

"You mean will I go on the stage? Positively I shall not. It was not the purpose of my musical training. That was only my hobby and recreation."

Miss Hightower said she liked the East very well but did not expect to live here.

"I shall stay right through all this trouble anyway," she added with snapping eyes, "and I shall see if I can be of any service. We met in New York city, and our affection, I trust, is not a fleeting one on the part of either."

"Then you love him very much?"

"Do you suppose I would come way on here under all the circumstances if I did not?"

The subject turned upon newspaper interviewers and photographers. Miss Hightower's face lit up as she recalled how she had hitherto escaped them all.

"I have been hereabouts for days and days now, and have eluded everyone who tried to see me. The other afternoon, with four camera men on the corner, I went out of the gate with one of the Coleman boys, and sauntering in the opposite direction was quite unobserved. We went down town, that is to Central square—or do you call it going down town when you go to Boston? Anyway, we went down to the store, finished our errands and returned—also by the opposite direction—and entering the gate, the young man with me waved his hand at the photographers and laughed at them. Somebody cried out: 'Stung.'

"But it wasn't I. I suppose they were looking for a big, tall girl with spectacular clothes, and thought it couldn't be I.

Doesn't Understand Bank Trouble.

"Now, frankly, I do not pretend to understand all this trouble of George's, and I do not try. I came because we wished to be near each other, and I didn't know but that in some way I could help. That is all. No, you need not ask me if we are already married or when we are to be married.

"You see, I wear no wedding ring—not but that I have some rings—one of them a beauty—but that tells no story of wedding bells. If I can be of any help of encouragement to George well and good, but I don't pretend to have any particular knowledge or ability in that direction. He certainly is a good fellow and he is naturally honest. He's a good boy, liked by all who know him well, and I love him very much."

W. O. ARNOLD OF WESTERLY DEAD

WESTERLY, R. I., April 1.—Warren O. Arnold, seventy-one years of age, ex-Congressman from the Second District of Rhode Island, died to-day as a result of a paralytic shock sustained March 22.

Mr. Arnold was born in Coventry, R. I., June 14, 1839. In 1864 he started out in the cotton manufacturing business for himself and continued in that line for two years, after which he entered the line of the woolen industry and became one of the best known men in that business in the State. He was in Congress from the Second District, serving in the Fiftieth, Fifty-first and Fifty-fourth Congresses.

He was married October 30, 1862, to Miss Mary Owen, who survives him. They had no children.

Some of his partners in the woolen industry in former years were Horace A. Kimball, the well-known millionaire, and Fenner A. White of Gloucester.

Appendicitis

How to Avoid It and Escape a Surgical Operation, Told by One Who Knows.

A Simple Method That Is Always Efficacious. Trial Package Free.

It has only been a few years since it was discovered that a surgical operation would cure appendicitis; in fact, it has been but a short time since the disease was discovered and named.

Whenever there is an inflamed condition of the appendix, caused by impacted faeces in the small cavity opening into the intestine, you then have appendicitis.

The older doctors used to call this inflammation of the bowels, and were puzzled to know the cause.

Even now, with all the knowledge we have of the disease, no medical man can tell you why we should have an appendix, why we find it where it is, or what are its functions, if it has any.

The disease for which the operation is a cure is usually caused by indigestion, and in many cases follows a large and indigestible meal.

Physicians have until recently recommended an operation, but now, as it is known that it is caused by indigestion, or dyspepsia, a cure without an operation is assured.

Where the patient is treated with Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, the unhealthy conditions prevailing rapidly disappear, the stomach and intestines are placed back in their normal condition, every organ of the body operates as it should, and the inflammation is reduced and the operation is avoided.

Conscientious physicians, who are looking after the best interests of their patients, will always keep a supply of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets handy in their office, where in cases of sudden attacks of indigestion they can relieve the patient at once.

There is no record of a case of appendicitis where the stomach and bowels were in a healthy condition and properly digested the food from meal to meal.

No better advice can be given to any one who has attacks of indigestion, or who has been threatened with appendicitis, than to tell him to go to the drug store, pay 50 cents, and take home a package of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets.

Whenever heartburn, gas in stomach or bowels, heart disease or stomach troubles, sour eructations, acidity or fermentation are present, act at once. Take a dose of the Tablets and get relief as soon as possible.

At all druggists—50 cents.

Send us your name and address to-day and we will at once send you by mail a sample package free. Address F. A. Stuart Co., 150 Stuart Bldg., Marshall, Mich.

DOG LICENSES ARE DUE TODAY

Besides being All Fools day, this is dog license day in Boston. Dog licenses expire hereafter on April 1 instead of May 1. This is one of the provisions of the new city charter. On account of the change in dates this year, few dogs were licensed to-day. The police will probably allow owners of dogs a margin of several days.

The money accruing from dog licenses goes to the school fund. Last year the dogs swelled the school fund by over $30,000. They'll be as thoughtful this year. Last year there were 11,700 dogs in Boston. No one knows yet what this year's dog census will show.

All dogs must be licensed at the police station in the district in which their owners live.

TRAGEDY OF LOVE.

NEW YORK, April 1.—A vendetta murder occurred here to-day when John Lewis, a well-to-do East side young Italian, was shot to death by his enemies firing from a speeding automobile in East Eleventh street. He fell as he tried to draw his own revolver. It is believed by the police a feud starting over a woman caused the tragedy. The murderers, three in number, escaped in the auto.

Social Notes

The monthly dinner and dance of the Progressive Five Club, formed by young women employes in five departments at the Henry Siegel store, took place at the Hotel Oxford last evening. S. E. Lowery is president, Mrs. K. Wilson vice-president, Miss R. Ingraham secretary. Guests representing the store management were H. Norwell, Ralph Gambell and Victor Prall.

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At Jordan Hall last night the annual minstrel show of the Young Men's Christian Association was held. Leon Baldwin was interlocutor. The end men were Earle R. Barnard, Leonard Martin, Hastings Russell and Henry C. Carrell.

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District Attorney Joseph C. Pelletier will speak Sunday afternoon to the Chelsea Literary and Social Club at its rooms, No. 200 Broadway, Chelsea.

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The annual military and civic ball of the Fusilier Veterans' Association took place last night at Paul Revere Hall, Huntington avenue. Major Milliken and lady led the grand march. The floor director was Captain John Merrill.

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Next Monday evening, April 4, the young ladies connected with the Church of the Assumption, East Boston, will hold a violet party at Lyceum Hall in that district. The Rev. F. V. O'Connell, director of the young ladies' sodality, is chairman of the reception committee. Miss May Digan, Miss Katherine Douglass, Miss Carrie Digan, Miss Margaret Lannery, Miss Alice F. Kivenar and Miss Katheryn Murphy are in charge.

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The Loyal Order of Moose, Boston Lodge No. 34, will have a concert and ball to-night at Intercolonial Hall, Dudley street, Roxbury. Arthur W. Hayden is dictator of the lodge.

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To-morrow afternoon a charity whist will be held at the Daly Industrial Home, No. 111 Train street, Neponset. The proceeds will go to the Home for Destitute Children. At the foot of Mill street barges will be waiting to take the ladies to the school.

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Governor Draper was the principal speaker at the banquet of the Mercantile Market Association at Faneuil Hall last night. Three hundred members were present. Councilor Walter S. Glidden, Senator Joseph P. Lomasney and the Rev. Harley D. Maxwell of the First Universalist Church of Somerville also spoke.

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The costume party of the I. C. A. will be held at Town Hall, East Weymouth, to-night. Mutt and Jeff have promised to attend.

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At the residence of A. Shuman, No. 90 Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay, last evening, the annual reception to the City Hospital staff took place. The program was entirely informal and included dinner and brief addresses. Mayor Fitzgerald was among the guests.

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Rose Croix Council, K. of C., will hold its annual dancing party at Catholic Union Hall, Worcester street, Tuesday evening, April 12.

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The twenty-second annual dinner of the Massachusetts Normal Art School Alumni Association will take place to-night at the Hotel Brunswick, Boylston street.

MISS LA FOLLETTE, WHO APPEARS IN SUFFRAGIST PLAY

HERE IS WHY SHOES ARE HIGH

Charles H. Jones of the Commonwealth Shoe and Leather Company told the members of the High Cost of Living Commission at a meeting in the State House to-day that the reason the price of a pair of shoes was so high was because of the fact that there was a reduction in the hours of labor for employes in the various factories. He said that shoes which cost $3 and $3.50 a year ago are selling to-day at $4 and $4.50 a pair, retail price. The same kind of shoe, he said, costs the factory $2.50 and $2.60.

Commissioner McSweeney questioned the speaker relative to the cost and selling price. He asked him if it did not indicate that some one connected with a factory was getting an excessive profit. In reply Mr. Jones said that the difference in price could be allotted to office force, machinery, etc.

Among the other speakers heard were Andrew G. Webster and George E. Keith on shoe prices; Edward Hamlin of the Metropolitan Coal Company, coal; W. A. Granstein, on milk; Dwight P. Thomas of Revere, on sugar; A. H. Van Pelt of the Armour Beef Company; L. A. Crosett and Mrs. Anna Steiner.

CUT YOUR LIVING EXPENSES and EAT BETTER FOOD THAN YOU DID BEFORE. The Sunday American will tell you how. Don't miss the greatest economic feature ever presented in a newspaper.

KENTUCKIAN ASSASSINATED

LEXINGTON, Ky., April 1.—Word reached here to-day that while plowing in his cornfield, Monroe Vance, a farmer of Floyd County, was assassinated by persons who fired from ambush, killing him instantly. The assassins escaped.

SCRATCHED HEAD TILL IT WAS RAW

Eczema Broke Out on Baby's Head Causing All Her Hair to Fall Out—Could Not Sleep—Spread of Fearful Disease Averted and Easy, Economical Cure Effected, for

A FRIEND ADVISED USE OF CUTICURA

"When my little girl was four months old her head broke out with eczema. I tried everything but nothing did her any good. She could not sleep at night and she did nothing but scratch her head, which was like a raw piece of meat. All of her hair fell out. A friend of mine told me about Cuticura and the good it did for her little boy. After the first cake of Cuticura Soap and box of Cuticura Ointment I used I could see a change. I used just two cakes of Cuticura Soap and two boxes of Cuticura Ointment and my little girl's head is cured. Her hair is growing fine and long and her skin is like velvet. Friends say that my quick action in using the Cuticura Remedies kept the eczema from spreading all over her body.

"I still use the Cuticura Soap and always keep a box of Cuticura Ointment in the house. I used them for my hands, which were so badly chapped that the skin would crack and bleed. I would cry with pain. My hands are entirely cured now. You certainly have my permission to publish this letter in any paper, for I know how wonderful Cuticura is. Mrs. F. Davis, 209 E. Indiana St., Chicago, Ill., Jan. 18, 1909."

Itching Devils Are little patches of eczema on the skin, scalp or hands which are instantly relieved and speedily cured, in the majority of cases, by warm baths with Cuticura Soap and gentle anointings of Cuticura Ointment, purest and sweetest of emollients.

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DAUGHTER OF SENATOR HERE, IS SUFFRAGIST

Miss Fola La Follette, daughter of United States Senator Robert M. La Follette of Wisconsin, arrived in Boston to-day from New York. She was met by a number of women suffragists, who are to entertain her while she is here.

She appears this afternoon at [illegible] o'clock in Jacob Sleeper Hall at Boston University to present the English comedy, "How the Vote Was Won." She gave the play last evening at the Maxine Elliott Theatre in New York. Professor Dallas Lore Sharp of the English department of the college will preside at the meeting and introduce Miss La Follette.

The play is given by Miss La Follette to initiate the new Equal Suffrage Chapter which has been formed at Boston University with Miss Jessie [illegible] as president.

Miss La Follette is a graduate of the University of Wisconsin and is an active suffragist. She will present the same comedy at Tufts College on the evening of April 4.

SOCIETY GIRL HURT; THROWN OFF HORSE

Christine Converse, the pretty seventeen-year-old stepdaughter of Robert Gould Shaw, 2d, is at the New England Hospital suffering from an ugly wound on the head and body bruises, which she received as the result of being thrown from her saddle horse on Clyde street, Brookline, near the Country Club.

COAL FAMINE PROBABLE IF 300,000 QUIT

CHICAGO, April 1.—With a coal famine threatening as a result of the strike of 300,000 miners, a condition of every [illegible] of which will be affected by a prolonged struggle has been mutually agreed upon and is striving for an early settlement of the wage controversy. Manufacturers to-day made efforts to obtain as large a supply of coal as possible, and the larger coal companies are unable to find enough teams to fill orders. President Lewis, heading the mine workers, still believes there will be peace.

The situation among the Illinois mine operators, it is believed, can be adjusted without much delay. Other districts than Illinois give out that peace negotiations are under way to prevent a crippling of industry.

Briefly summarized the situation in the West and Southwest is as follows:

Illinois—Half mines closed and 72,000 miners idle; operators say men demand increase of ten cents a ton which would mean an annual increase in the expense in this State of $[illegible], two months' supply of coal on hand; no immediate danger of coal famine in Chicago.

Indiana—Eighteen thousand miners quit at midnight; conference arranged for next Wednesday at Terre Haute; miners say shut down will be short lived.

Iowa—Every mine in Iowa closed, pending settlement of wage question.

Southwest—Thirty-five thousand miners quit work in Missouri, Kansas, Oklahoma and Arkansas; early settlement hoped for, but miners assert they have fund of $400,000 to draw on.

APRIL FOOL

CONFESSES BRIBE TO PROVE BRIBERY

JACKSON, Miss., April 1.—Exonerating himself from moral and legal liability on the ground that he was acting as a detective for the Vardaman forces, and to prove that bribery was being used in the recent senatorial contest, State Senator Theodore Bilbo appeared before an executive session of the Senate and told how he had accepted a $645 bribe from L. C. Dulaney, a wealthy planter of Issaquena County, to change his vote from former Governor Vardaman to United States Senator Percy.

SONG FREE—"Be My Cinderella," from "The Silver Star." Words and music with the Sunday American.

BOYS RESCUED FROM FLAMES BY PATROLMAN

Patrolman John Dewan of Chelsea saved the lives of two boys early to-day after he had discovered a fire in their home.

He was ringing in at Clinton street and Eastern avenue at 2:15 and saw the fire in the home of John Fee, No. 1 Clinton street. Dewan bolted through the front door, which was unlocked, and ran upstairs to a back bedroom where he had seen the flames. A lamp on the dresser had overturned and fired the room.

Dewan groped through the smoke and found John Fee, Jr., aged thirteen, and William, eight, lying in bed half-smothered. He carried the boys down to the street and dashed back into the house to a first floor bedroom, where he aroused Mr. and Mrs. Fee. Mrs. Fee and her husband and the policeman carried water to the second floor and extinguished the flames. Little damage was done and no alarm was rung in.

BODY OF A MAN FOUND FLOATING

The body of a man was seen floating off Mystic wharf, Charlestown, to-day, by a pedestrian on the new Charlestown bridge. The police were notified and they tied the body to a pier to await the medical examiner.

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A special purchase of imported negligee shirts in silk and linen, French flannel and all silk. Coat styles with golf cuffs—in sizes 14½ to 15 only.

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A special value thrown out as a leader. Made of plain colored madras cloth with the coat trimmed with silk frogs and real pearl buttons.

A Story With A Point

Last Saturday morning a man came into our store, and going up to a certain salesman, said: "Well, I'm here again! You know when you sold me this overcoat last fall I told you that if it lived up to what you said about it, I'd come back and see you again. Well, the coat stood up fine and dandy, so I've brought my three nephews to see if you can do as well with them in suits as you did with me in this overcoat." That's just about as he said it. When we say that the three young men were fitted out to their liking and sent away happy, the story is ended.

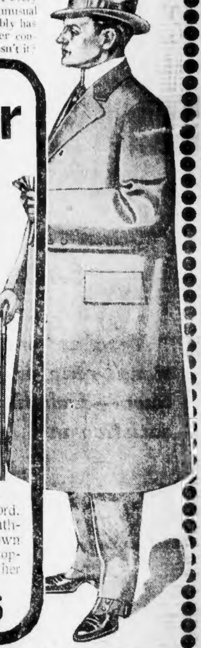
But there's this much more to it—if this happened but once in a great while it wouldn't be anything worth making a fuss over. It is only when it happens about every day of nearly every week straight through the year that it begins to take on the unusual—and that is just what happens here right along. This store probably has more satisfied customers in proportion to its business than any other concern in the country. All of which speaks mighty well for Wolf's, doesn't it?

Get Legal Stamps When You Buy

Best Buy Ever In Topcoats Or Suits At $10

And that isn't all. We say that you can't equal the value in any other store for a cent under $12 and from that on up to $15. What's more, we're here to prove this conclusively to you whenever you say the word. There's no better time to investigate its truthfulness than right now. You're probably down for a suit of clothes at the least—perhaps a topcoat. What do you say if we put our heads together on this suit and topcoat question this Spring?

Others On Up To $25

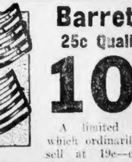


Boys' $7.50 Suits Selling At This Sale 4.97

Look at the making—note the seams—the buttonholes—how every seam is reinforced—then you'll see where the $7.50 value comes in. All wool worsteds and cassimeres in just the weights for now. Made in knickerbocker pant styles with double breasted coats.

Collars In 50c Values 25c

About twenty unusually striking styles in fine white lawn trimmed with dozens of different patterns of insertion and Val. lace.



Barrettes 25c Qualities 10c

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IN HOT CLASH

RED SOX' LAST DAYS IN CAMP AT HOT SPRINGS

By A. H. C. MITCHELL.

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., April 1.—Now that those pesky Cincinnati players are out of the way the Red Sox will have a chance to go about their business as they see fit. The stay at Hot Springs will be limited to to-day, to-morrow and part of Sunday. On the Sabbath afternoon all hands will take train to Memphis, where on Tuesday and Wednesday the Speed Boys line up against what Southern sporting writers call the Memphis team. Some call them the Turtles on account of turtle-back appearance of their diamond, which is high at the pitcher's box and slopes sharply toward the bases and the plate.

The program laid out by Manager Patsy Donovan for today's work consisted of one session at the ball yard. From 10 o'clock until 1 our boys will disport themselves on the field and try to patch up any uneven places on the team. Returning from the yard the boys will have their regular bath and then be at leisure for the rest of the day.

To-morrow, Manager Donovan plans a game between the Regulars and Yannigans, captained by Senor Frank Arellanes. An admission fee of 50 cents will be charged those who care to see the Boston outfit perform and the manager figures he will get back some of the money paid for balls his players have knocked over the fence and which have never come back owing to the activity of the Hot Springs small boy.

French Gets Vacation.

Charlie French, the utility infielder, who has played second base in nearly every game here will not be with the team after Sunday until it reaches Cincinnati a week from tomorrow. Charlie has worked hard and often here and he asked permission of Manager Donovan to go to his home in Indianapolis for a few days. Donovan readily granted his request and the little fellow will get a well earned rest for a few days.

French is a handy man to have around a ball team, but Huntington avenue fans know that he cannot fill Amby McConnell's shoes no matter how hard he tries. French is not there with the stick for one thing, and he is nowhere near the run getter that McConnell is. Furthermore little Mac can field all around French when he is going good. McConnell had a bad year in 1909, but he suffered from an accident and furthermore was not strong all through the season. He has been taking especially good care of himself down here. Donovan has not allowed him to play more than a game or two and has made him go mighty easy with his practice. He is rounding into shape nicely and will be as fit as a fiddle in a few days. He thinks all his old strength is back again and the counts on having as good if not better a season as he had in 1908 when he batted .300 and led the team in run getting and in stolen bases, besides winning the Boston American cup for being the most popular man on the team.

Captain Harry Lord was not feeling well yesterday and did not take part in the final game with the Cincinnatis. He is much better to-day, and went out with the other boys for practice. Larry Gardner, who took his place at third was O. K. in the field, but was very weak at the bat, as Anderson, the opposing pitcher, made him look cheap at the plate.

Series Ends in Tie.

The series with Cincinnati ended the tightest kind of a tie. Each club won five games and lost five. Three nine innings games were played, two games were called off on account of rain, and one was abandoned after three innings for the same reason. In the thirteen games played the Red Sox were outbatted and outfielded, but the totals were mighty close. Boston scored 73 runs to 81 for Cincinnati. The Speed Boys made 132 hits against 135 for the Red Elfins. There could not be much closer work in such a long series.

Manager Donovan figures that his team lost out because early in the series our catchers made no attempt to prevent the other fellows from stealing and they ran wild on the bases. The Red Sox players were instructed to take no chances in stealing, for fear of injury. Thus the other fellows got quite an easy bulge on the Speed Boys. Two or three games were literally tossed away by the Bostons.

In a general size up of the two teams a careful observer would probably give credit to Boston for having the better staying team, but it must be acknowledged that Cincinnati had a mighty good hustling lot of players and Manager Griffith has worked tooth and nail to bring them up to a high standard of efficiency.

Donovan did not have the full strength of his team on the field in a single game, while, for the most part, Cincinnati played the men Griffith expects to use in the National League championship race.

Batting Averages.

Players.	ab.	r.	bh.	2b.	3b.	hr.	Ave.
Madden	16	7	8	1	0	1	.500
Elman	2	0	1	0	0	0	.500
Collins	2	0	1	0	0	0	.500
Smith	2	0	1	0	0	0	.500
McConnell	4	0	2	0	0	0	.500
Myers	19	4	9	2	0	0	.471
Stahl	32	8	13	2	0	2	.406
Speaker	39	6	14	3	0	1	.359
Gardner	32	2	11	2	0	0	.344
Hall	3	0	1	0	0	0	.333
Carrigan	21	1	7	0	0	0	.333
Lord	45	7	14	3	1	0	.311
French	51	9	15	1	0	0	.294
Bradley	7	2	2	0	0	0	.286
Niles	30	7	8	1	1	0	.267
Hooper	46	7	12	2	0	0	.261
Karger	4	0	1	0	0	1	.250
Lewis	12	8	8	2	0	1	.190
Wagner	21	4	4	1	1	0	.190
West	6	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Thompson	2	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Leroy	3	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Pape	6	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Barteich	1	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Arellanes	1	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Cicotte	1	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Totals	439	73	132	19	3	6	.301

JOHNSON HAS BIG WINE PARTY

CHICAGO, April 1.—Jack Johnson, heavyweight champion fighter, celebrated his thirty-second birthday anniversary by training vigorously on goblets of wine. The champion's party, which started early last night and was attended by fifty invited guests, lasted until 3 o'clock this morning.

Johnson was gloriously happy and partook freely of the wine. George Little, Johnson's manager, looked on as the big black emtied goblet after goblet of the fluid. The party was held in the garage in the rear of Johnson's home on Wabash avenue. There was plenty of beer and liquids for those who did not care for the juice of the grape.

Prior to the party Johnson addressed a political rally of his colored brethren. He diverted from politics long enough to advise his hearers to back him to beat Jeffries on July 4.

"I will win sure," he said.

TO ROW STONE'S CREW.

Word has been received from Cascadilla School of Ithaca, N. Y., that it will row Stone School of this city in a preliminary race to that of Harvard and Cornell on the Charles River May 30.

ARTHUR COTE STOPS MARTIN

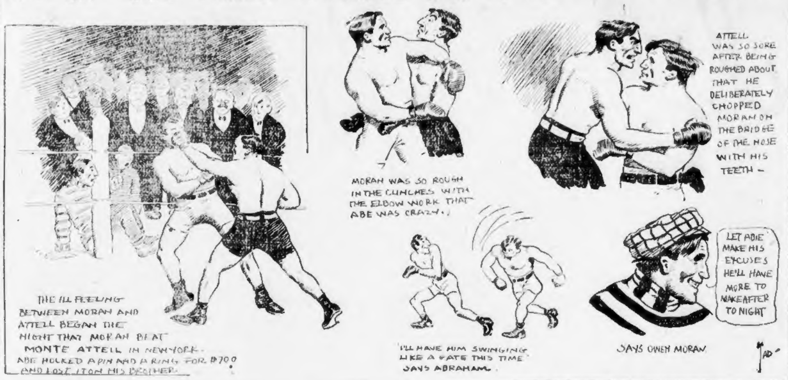
Oscar Martin, the Philadelphia boxer, made a game fight against Arthur Cote, the Maine lightweight, at the American A. C. last night but the odds were too great for him to overcome in the matter of weight and experience and his seconds threw up the sponge in the sixth round after the Quaker had been severely punished.

Cote was primed for the match and carried much surplus weight over Martin who substituted for Tommy Foley of South Boston. Foley quit out of the contest the last minute claiming that he could not waive on the weight question.

From the outset it was a one-sided match bout as Cote had things all his own way. He was continually hooking Martin on the jaw and body while his jabs to the face took the life out of the Quaker. Martin was willing and landed often on the body but his wallops lacked steam to do any damage.

Martin was in bad shape when his brother Terry finally decided that he had been punched enough when the sixth round was over.

Moran and Attell Primed for Their Third Battle


THE ILL FEELING BETWEEN MORAN AND ATTELL BEGAN THE NIGHT THAT MORAN BEAT MONTE ATTELL IN NEW YORK. ABE HOCKED A PIN AND A RING FOR $700 AND LOST IT ON HIS BROTHER.
MORAN WAS SO ROUGH IN THE CLINCHES WITH THE ELBOW WORK THAT ABE WAS CRAZY.
ATTELL WAS SO SORE AFTER BEING ROUGHED ABOUT THAT HE DELIBERATELY CHOPPED MORAN ON THE BRIDGE OF THE NOSE WITH HIS TEETH—
"I'LL HAVE HIM SWINGING LIKE A GATE THIS TIME" SAYS ABRAHAM.
LET ABIE MAKE HIS EXCUSES HE'LL HAVE MORE TO MAKE AFTER TO NIGHT
SAYS OWEN MORAN
TAD

ABIE ATTELL TO FACE MORAN IN GRUDGE FIGHT

By TAD.

NEW YORK, April 1.—Abe Attell and Owen Moran have been enemies for years. Ever since Moran beat Monte Attell in a private fight, held by Tom O'Rourke, have this pair had their hatchets out. Abe said things to Moran that night that the latter never forgot, but he gave Monte such a beating that it stuck in Abe's craw like a fishbone.

Abe hocked a pin and ring for 700 bucks that night and lost it on Monte. He figured his kid brother a cinch over the unknown Britisher, but what the London kid did to Monte is history.

When Abe and Moran met in Frisco some time later they couldn't fight fair. There was too much bitterness between them. Moran gave Abe the shoulder, pinched his wind off in the clinches and roughed him up so that a few rounds later Abe, wild with anger, jabbed his teeth down on Moran's nose and cut him fearfully. He says now that he intended nicking the Englishman over the eye, so that the trickling blood would bother his vision.

Can you imagine two little fellows loving one another so much? They have fought two draw battles now. The third comes off to-night at the Fairmont Club, in New York, and should be a pippin.

Billy Joh, the regular club referee, will be third man in the ring. Attell objected to him because he figured that Jimmy Johnson, who is looking out for Moran, is also in on the club, and that Joh might favor Moran some way. Billy Gibson, however, smoothed Abe's fears over, and Joh will be the man. The latter is a good referee and an honest fellow. He never helps either man, so Attell need have no fears. If they were all as honest as Billy we'd have fewer kicks after fights.

Neither Moran nor Attell will make weight for the bout, but both will jump on the scales before entering the ring to show the newspaper men just what they weigh.

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Steve Rice, the Cow Hollow manager, who manages Charlie Reilly, the Frisco lightweight, is very sore at New York, according to Heiney Rafael. Heiney met him and Steve told him that he intended to grab the next train out for the West and never show his face around again.

"I went with a bearcat of a fighter," said Steve, "and the first manager I met offered us $25 for a fight. I had an awful time finding my way around, and half the time it tok me an hour and a half to walk around the block. The other night when I was lost I chirps up to a bull and asks him where Sixth avenue is.

"'Why don't you look at the lamp posts, you rummy,' he says, so I beat it again. It's no place for a minister's son."

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Al Lippe writes from Paris that it was the luckiest thing in the world for Papke to hang that haymaker on Willie Lewis there awhile back. According to Al, Lewis was winning right along until Papke happened to lean the wild one across. He put it over three or four times, but each time it was luck.

Strange that the winner is always lucky, eh? Terry McGovern used to do that and Ketchel made his rep the same way. Lucky boys, those haymaker handlers will get the habit, Willie.

RECEIPTS OF BIG FIGHT WILL BREAK RECORDS

By W. W. NAUGHTON.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 1.—If some newspaper with a penchant for "contests" would inaugurate a price guessing bee as to the size of the Jeffries-Johnson gate it would strike a popular chord. That the receipts of the big fight will overtop all previous marks as an umbrella tree overtops a bed of mushrooms is the belief of every one whose mind is attuned to figuring.

According to Tex Rickard, the arena planned by himself and Jack Gleason will hold $680,000.

"Do you think you'll play to capacity?" Tex was asked. The Nevadan shifted his cigar nervously from corner to corner of his mouth and said:

"Let me tell you something. I don't like to make forecasts in a thing of this kind, but it would not surprise me a bit if we had to turn people away.

"What is your lowest esitmate of what the box office takings will be?" was the next question fired at Tex.

"Well, I have a low estimate all right, but I hardly know why," said Rickard. "In my opinion the receipts will not fall below $350,000. Why, man, we are not in proper shape to record reservations yet and we are simply drowned with applications for seats. We will not have the machinery of our offices in working order until Gleason returns, and he will have a merry time sorting out the requests for reservations that piled up in his absence. If the desire to get in on the ground floor is any criterion I don't see what is to prevent us selling everything we have to sell.

It appears that in various cities clubs have been formed and excursions are being framed for the purpose of attending the championship fight. In Seattle 225 of the best seats have already been bespoken.

Vancouver and Victoria have reserved 200 fight tickets, and Spokane, Washington, has its name down for 200. From Cleveland, has come an order for 125 ringside seats, while Clinton, O., has modestly reserved fifteen seats.

England has bespoken 125 choice locations already and 300 equally choice seats have been reserved for New York excursion parties. Bakersfield, the California oil town, has reserved seventy-five seats.

The colored contingent has been heard from, it being announced that men of Johnson's race from various towns of the Middle West will assemble in Chicago and form one grand excursion to the big fight. Rickard says that 200 ringside seats have been reserved for the negro sports.

The foregoing comprises the big orders that came to hand before Rickard and Gleason were quite ready to attend to reservations.

What are termed small orders—that is, orders calling for five or ten seats, are coming in from all over the country. How big the gate will be must remain a matter of conjecture, of course, but it is manifest even thus early that all records in the way of prize ring receipts will be shattered.

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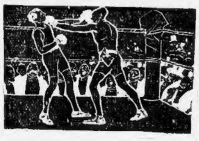

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Science explains why the 100,000,000 who will spend $100,000,000 to see the Jeffries-Johnson battle are following perfectly natural and well understood play impulses, which always take the form of the fundamental life-saving action.

See Next Sunday's Boston Sunday American.

KLING JOINS CUBS.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 1.—John Kling wired Manager Chance to-day that he will join the Cubs next Sunday.

NUTMEG STATE TEAM IS OUT

The Connecticut State College baseball team was out for the first time yesterday and at the present time it is difficult to prophesy what kind of a team will represent the college this year, the team having lost many good players by graduation, including last year's captain, George Hale. It is probable that a good battery can be developed from the material available and E. A. Hall has been elected captain this year to succeed Captain Hale. The baseball manager has arranged a schedule of ten games as follows:

April 9, Rockville at Storrs; April 16, Windham at Storrs; April 23, Wesleyan Academy at Storrs; April 30, open date; May 7, Rhode Island State at Kingston, R. I.; May 11, Norwich Free Academy at Norwich; May 14, Boston College at Boston; May 21, Norwich University at Norwich, Vt.; May 28, Springfield Training School at Willimantic; May 30, Boston College at Willimantic; June 4, Rhode Island State College at Willimantic.

TOM LOFTUS HAS CANCER OF THROAT

DUBUQUE, Ia., April 1.—Tom Loftus, former manager of the Washington American League club, is ill here with a throat affection said to be cancer. Owner Comiskey of the Chicago White Sox, who came here to see his long-time friend, was expected to return to-day to Chicago. Loftus, it was thought, might accompany him and take treatment there.

ROAD RACE AT HYDE PARK.

The Fairmount A. C. of Hyde Park will hold their second annual cross-country run April 19 from the clubhouse on Fairmount avenue.

In the evening the annual dance of the club will take place in Magnolia Hall, and the prizes will be distributed to the winners by some of the town officials.

FANS GUESSING REASON LAKE IS AT ATLANTA

By W. H. ROSS.

ATLANTA, Ga., April 1.—The advent of Manager Lake in Atlanta when the New York Giants arrived, set the players to guessing. Manager John J. McGraw brought back a battalion of ball players from Texas and the whole bunch seemed to lack pepper. Since his men have been on the road, McGraw has been making them engage in morning practice. That kind of work, with afternoon games and tedious railroad journeys, has not helped the team out much as to form.

Big Giant Squad.

The New York squad here now includes Myers, Devlin, Matthewson, Merkle, Doyle, Seymour, Drucke, Murray, Devore, Shaw, Marquard, Crandall, Klawitter, Schlei, Ames, Latham, Bell, Foster and Raymond.

Sam Crane of Hearst's New York Journal, is with the team too, and looks as now as if in splendid health. Sam must have gained forty pounds since he went to Arizona for his health last Winter. He is an old Boston boy. He began playing ball as an amateur when a bank clerk in Waltham and afterwards was one of the famous old Excelsior team in Boston. That is going some ways back.

The Doves got into Atlanta last night after a disastrous day from start to finish. They had to get up at Augusta before dawn to take the train out and ride until noon to get to Athens where they played the New York Highlanders. The weather was fierce and the train sometimes went as fast as seventeen miles an hour.

Sure a Sleepy Burg.

At Athens they had a hurried lunch and hustled into working clothes hied themselves to the ball park. Most of them hied afoot sooner than wait for the stableman to wake up a team of mules. When the mules woke up the driver had gone to sleep. Resuscitating him from somnolence was a harder job than getting the mules back from dreamland. One cooing Dove remarked: "This is a h—ll of a peachified situation." He meant no reflection but all of old Cap. Grahams men got sore except the original "Peaches" himself.

The ball park which Manager Stallings has fitted up is a nightmare as to outfield and infield. It is scooped out of red clay and rolled and baked until a granolithic pavement is like a fair Harvard pillow made by loving hands, in comparison. Two bounds and the hide hung from the bat like feathers. Any ball which got by an infielder was good for a home run. It bounded like a billow and as fast as slander flies until it reached the bank which barricaded the outfield, when it promptly rolled down a hill, whose slopes is strewn with the residue of avalanches.

Stallings has tried to coax several major league teams to play on his grounds, and sad to relate, the Doves are the only bunch who fell for it. The Highlanders have been practicing on these grounds for more than five weeks, and they understand its ins and outs as a squad of cue artists would the dented cushion and lists to port and starboard of a moss grown pool table after toiling over its patched surface for a similar period.

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KID SHEA BEATS BERGIN

AUGUSTA, Me., April 1.—[illegible]

WRESTLER SUED FOR $25,000.

CHICAGO, April 1.—[illegible]

Jimmy Archer, the great backstop of the Cubs, says that Bescher of the Reds is the most daring base runner in the game. His article will appear in the Sunday American.

STRAIGHT DOPE FOR SPORT FANS

IT LOOKS LIKE A B[illegible]

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RANDOLPH BOYS IN U. S. LEAGUE

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JONES DEFEATS MASON

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JEFF'S LIFE STORY

TAD'S story of the life and battles of Jim Jeffries, which has been printed serially in the Evening American, will be a feature of the Sunday American. In the instalment which will be printed next Sunday Tad tells of the early life of the man who will attempt to regain the world's heavyweight title from Jack Johnson on July 4.

DORANDO WINS RACE FROM LONGBOAT

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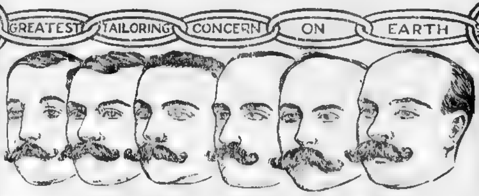

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"The first of April is the day when most of us are forcibly reminded of what we are on the other 364 days of the year." Mark Twain said that and it's good dope. If you were to ask Mark for his opinion on clothes, however you might feel inclined to doubt his wisdom. He has the reputation of being about as eccentric in dress as he is clever in wit, proving that it takes all kinds to make a world.

After seeing Gale & Kent put more orders onto their books in March than they ever recorded in a single month for 18 years at 96 Court Street, I felt that it would be a good idea to open the new month with a little chat. The man who can relieve his advertising of formality from time to time ought to be encouraged, and I'm looking for encouragement. Listen to this, will you?

Two weeks ago, a new designer was added to the staff at Gale & Kent's. They add new men to their large force as needed, but the only men they lose are men who go into business for themselves. No other tailor will pay as high a salary as the firm of Gale & Kent. This new designer is from Chicago. Here is how he was secured.

An old customer at 96 Court Street called about a month ago to get measured for a suit. He had been living in Chicago for a couple years. Mr. Kent commented on the suit he was wearing and asked him who made it. The customer gave him the name of one of Chicago's most stylish tailors—the $60-to-$75-suit kind.

"Do you know the name of the man who [illegible] the patterns?" [illegible] Mr. Kent.

"[illegible] his name was [illegible]," answered the customer, giving the designer's [illegible]

A night letter telegram was on its way [illegible] that evening, and five days later the designer was at 96 Court Street, his expenses having been guaranteed [illegible] ways, provided terms were reached. But the terms were settled satisfactorily [illegible] the man had the experience. He was the [illegible] of a man who was accustomed to [illegible] high class patronage. Gale & Kent had [illegible] money. He stayed—and began measuring trade the next afternoon.

The fact that the man is from Chicago doesn't count. It might have been Atlanta, Georgia, or Phoenix, Arizona. [illegible] Mr. Kent had noticed was the man's workmanship—his ability to combine fit and style, his originality in execution. The firm was looking for another man. If he had [illegible] in a tailor shop across the street they [illegible] have secured him. If he was in London, England, they would have sent for him. [illegible] the kind of house that has been [illegible] up at 96 Court Street until they are making more suits of clothes at $15 to $25 than any [illegible] other tailoring firms in Boston, put together.

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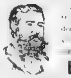

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How About Your Vacation? Begin to Plan It Now

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

WHERE [illegible] half the [illegible] pocket [illegible]

[illegible]

A [illegible] spend a vacation [illegible]

[illegible] pairs of [illegible] sweater with [illegible] will need [illegible]

[illegible] shoe and [illegible] breakfast [illegible] money on [illegible]

Love?---What Are the Signs?

By Nell Brinkley

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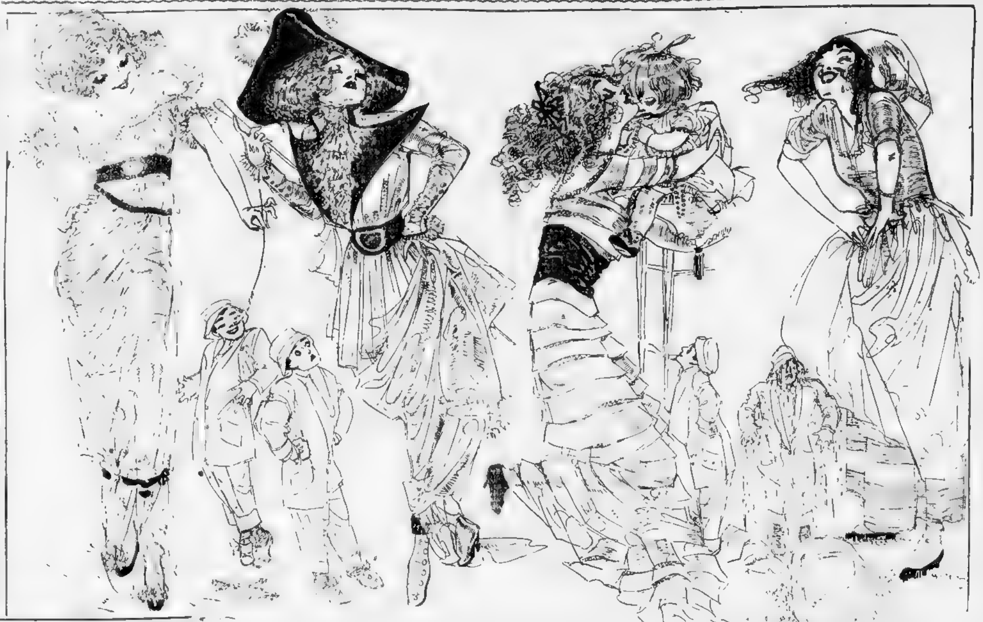

When she teases, she loves me. When she snubs me, she loves me. When she begins loving kiddies, she loves me. When she shames me, she loves me not.

[illegible] she turns white with anger when [illegible] your embarrassment [illegible]

[illegible] it a safe good ways off and you know and love your maid well, good! you and desist! NELL BRINKLEY.

Live Your Life to the Fullest Extent You Can

By ELLA WHEELER WILCOX

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WANDERING over this big little world and studying the people in many lands one must be impressed with the vast preponderance of *living dead creatures* who [illegible] the earth with their bodies and rob the air of its oxygen and distress the [illegible] with their complaints.

People [illegible] are dead to every thought save the needs of the body, whose souls [illegible] that they are deaf to the [illegible] sounding [illegible] immortal spirit [illegible] "come higher" and [illegible] sources of discomfort [illegible] disease or [illegible]

With the [illegible] wheel of physical [illegible] go around and around [illegible] never beyond what to [illegible] what to do to and amusement [illegible] "get even" with somebody [illegible] wrong, or to get [illegible] how to get well of this and that [illegible] what to take to [illegible] a slight [illegible] how to make a fortune in a hurry.

[illegible] who have erred, who [illegible] who have [illegible] of fortune.

[illegible] thousands [illegible] of such people on earth.

Are *you* one of these?

If [illegible] which you live [illegible] *you are* [illegible] like John Brown's body [illegible] grave" of [illegible]

But if you [illegible] the stone of self [illegible] within [illegible] *life*.

You [illegible] by a [illegible] any change [illegible] of your [illegible] looking at life.

All You Need Is to Awake

All you need is to say to yourself [illegible] *I am an immortal soul* [illegible] *nothing but* [illegible] *health and peace for me.*"

Then [illegible] resolve [illegible] good things in [illegible] you [illegible] meet.

[illegible]

Give the World Your Best

It [illegible] gifted poet [illegible] things, [illegible] simple words:

"Give to the world the best you have,
And the best will come back to you."

Just [illegible] these lines so [illegible] But to do all this you must [illegible]

[illegible] of the unsuccessful [illegible] who possess [illegible] times dishonest.

[illegible] their [illegible] the poor [illegible] But it is [illegible] fortunes, [illegible] to humanity.

[illegible] for ever [illegible] and their [illegible]

[illegible] that only [illegible] work [illegible] trains [illegible] good to humanity.

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By ELIZABETH ELLIOTT.

[illegible] annual Vincent Club show [illegible]

[illegible] Mrs. Rosamond [illegible]

[illegible] Miss [illegible] Minot are giving [illegible] for the younger set this evening [illegible] in honor of their son [illegible] who is [illegible] and is enjoying the Easter [illegible] with his parents at the Somerset.

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Mrs. B. B. Beale of this city has gone [illegible] Newport and is at one of the [illegible] cottages.

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Mrs. Isa[illegible] Rand Thomas has chosen this evening for the dance which she has arranged to give in honor of her daughter, Miss Elizabeth Thomas. The dance will be given at her residence on Commonwealth [illegible] and the guests will include a number of the girls who will make their debut next year, when Miss Thomas will be presented [illegible]

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Glorious Tetrazzini Voice Wins Plaudits in the Old 'Daughter of the Regiment'

By FREDERICK JOHNS.

THE combination of the stern and savage modern French musical drama "La Navarraise," and the tuneful old ballad opera, "The Daughter of the Regiment," attracted a great audience to the Boston Theatre last night. There was no opera at the Boston Opera House, since the Metropolitan forces were required in New York, and the Hammerstein company benefited hugely. The artists were encouraged by the throng and both operas were splendidly performed.

"La Navarraise" is a one-act opera, intensely dramatic, and representing the latest thought of Jules Massenet. It preceded and contrasted curiously with the dainty, jingling little opera comique, with its thin orchestration and its dry recitatives sustained by pianoforte chords. A more artistic effect might have been secured had the Massenet work brought the evening to a close, but most of the audience were better pleased to pass out with the last high tone of Tetrazzini still vibrating in their ears.

Tetrazzini Was Winning.

Tetrazzini herself would be the last to deny that she is stout and that the costume of a vivandiere does not become her, but by her playful and childlike manners she does her best to atone, and her glorious voice leaves everything else forgotten. She sang the music lesson in the most delightfully humorous fashion, and it was evident that the audience was hugely amused to find that the diva could sing off key if she wanted to. In the regimental songs she was winning and she sang the florid music of the second act as only she can sing it.

John McCormack, who was heard Tuesday night in "Lucia," showed such remarkable improvement that the report that he was indisposed on Tuesday seems probable. His voice is light but sympathetic to a degree and he used it with all the art of a great tenor. The plaintive beauty of his appeal to the marquise for the hand of her daughter brought him a reward of delighted applause, and he was obliged to respond with an encore.

JOHN McCORMACK.

Irish tenor, who scored with Tetrazzini at the Boston Theatre.

Gilibert, as the Sergeant, had little opportunity to sing, but acted with a fine touch of comedy. Duchene was an acceptable marquise.

A Martial Atmosphere.

"La Navarraise" is an episode of the Carlist wars. Anita loves, but the father of her lover repulses her, as she is poor. The Royalists are in dire straits because of the genius of the rebel leader, and a great reward is offered for his capture or death. Anita kills him and wins the blood money, but her lover hates her for the deed, and she goes mad as he dies of a wound.

The atmosphere of the piece is war. The soldiers are dust stained and battle scarred. The composer paints with heavy strokes the picture of blood and passion. It is music drama of a high order.

Gerville-Reache acts with fire and intensity, and sings dramatically. There are places in her voice that are piercing and unpleasant, but her interpretation is a striking one. Georges Lucas was an acceptable Araquil and Dufranne a majestic general.

De La Fuente conducted "La Navarraise" with fiery wand, and Anselmo's leading of the comic opera was pleasing.

Profession at the Matinee.

"Tales of Hoffman" was heard at the matinee performance. It was really a professional matinee, and the house was filled with actor folk who rarely get an opportunity to hear grand opera. Billie Burke and a party occupied a box. Raymond Hitchcock, Maud Lambert and many other actors and actresses were noticed.

Renaud's triple role in "Tales of Hoffman" is one of his greatest parts. The Doctor Miracle of the last act was remarkable for its uncanny suggestion. Miss Trentini this year sang both Olympia and Antonia and charmed in both roles. Duchene was the Giulietta and Miss Alice Gentle Nicklausse. The beautiful opera was performed with just the right amount of dash and good humor, and the afternoon was one to be remembered.

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CHICAGO PARSON IN ROLE OF JEREMIAH

CHICAGO, April 1.—According to Rev. James M. Gray, dean of the Moody Institute, who is to give a series of prophetic lectures before the union Bible class, says all the governments of Europe are to be overthrown. The kingdom of Vhrist is to be established on earth, Jerusalem is to be the world's capital and the Jews are to become the world's leading people. Dr. Gray's lectures will be based upon the book of Revelations. He reached his conclusions on the signs of the times and on the close study of the Scriptures.

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GRIEF KILLS BOY.

BROCKTON, April 1.—Believing his mother's constant care for him during a two years' illness had hastened her death by apoplexy Wednesday, Frederick B. Hall, eighteen years old, son of Samuel W. Hall, killed himself by shooting at his home in North Easton.

O'BRIEN STARTS "ALL FOR IRELAND" LEAGUE

CORK, April 1.—A large and enthusiastic meeting at City Hall inaugurated the "All for Ireland League," the object of which William O'Brien, M. P., said in the course of a long speech was to enable the Irish people to choose between his program, which would reconcile Catholic and Protestant fellow countrymen, and John Redmond's, which set them against each other.

Mr. O'Brien characterized the Nationalist party as "a mere puppet, detestable sectarian secret society, whose avowed purpose was to build up a system of Catholic orangeism more inexcusable that its Protestant forerunner."

NO "SHORT PANTS" FOR NEW DIPLOMAT

LOS ANGELES, April 1.—Ex-Governor Henry T. Gage, who was sworn in today as Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to Portugal, received from a London tailor who makes a specialty of togging out diplomats a circular sternly recommending a diplomatic dress consisting of a pair of knee breeches, silk stockings and shiny slippers. "To hell with these things!" said Gage, and threw the dagrams of the Little Lord Fauntleroy outfit in the wastebasket.

HOW TO EXERCISE—Information of greatest value to men and women by Mme. Cavallieri in the Sunday American.

TAFT FOR BEVERLY, NOT FOR ALASKA

WASHINGTON, April 1.—President Taft has abandoned the trip to Alaska, which he contemplated during the Summer. Instead he will go to Beverly at the adjournment of Congress and content himself with short trips until the Fall when he has promised to go to San Antonio, Tex., and also visit the ranch of Charles P. Taft, six hours' ride farther South at Gregory. The probable late adjournment of Congress, his recent extended trip through the West, and the fact that Mrs. Taft is not in the most robust health, and probably could not accompany him, have all operated to work the change in the President's plan.

YOUNG KNOX AND HIS BRIDE IN DETROIT

DETROIT, April 1.—Philander Knox, Jr., his bride, and H. W. Flint of Providence, agent there of an automobile company are in this city. Mr. Knox attended a banquet given in his honor at the Pontchartrain by Henry Ford and declined to be seen by newspapermen. Mr. Flint said that Mr. Knox would remain in Detroit only two or three days and that the purpose of his visit here was to inspect an automobile plant.

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29c Madras—Shirtings and waistings, 27-in.	12½c

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Odds and Ends of 10c and 12½c wash goods	5c
19c Fancy Voile, 27 inches wide	10c
19c Woven Linen Finish Suiting, 27 inches wide, plain colors, self-colored figures	9c

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19c Italian Silk—36-inch, in stripes and polka dot	9c
79c Satin—36-in. guaranteed satin, all colors	59c
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1.00 Hose—Pure Silk fashioned hose with cotton soles	69c
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15c to 19c Vests—Fancy and plain, low neck, regular and extra sizes	11c
25c to 50c Underwear—Vests in all styles, pants lace trimmed; broken lots	17c
50c to 62 1-2c Underwear—Lace trimmed pants and tights; regular and extra sizes	25c
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50c Half Hose—Silk, black, and colors; seconds	25c
50c Half Hose—Cotton and lisle, plain and fancy, imported	25c
29c Underwear—Shirts and drawers, jersey ribbed and balbriggan	19c
37 1-2c to 50c Underwear—Shirts and drawers, jersey ribbed and bird's-eye balbriggan	29c
1.50 Union Suits—Spring and summer weights; broken lots	98c

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3.00 Syrup Pitchers—With tray, quadruple plated, fancy patterns	1.45
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49c Embroidered Flannel—New designs, pure silk embroidery	31c
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A little more odd-lot buying was in **evidence**, though the advanced price **range was due** principally to furtive covering by the shorts.

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It would be rash to declare professionalism had sold itself into a pocket; still if the market is not broadened and if several heavy individual long accounts remain impervious to attacks, sharp competitive bidding to balance bear contracts would not be an improbability.

$ $ $

The advance of wages by the Erie railroad and by the Reading helped sentiment materially. It was also unofficially reported that the Steel Trust will increase wages, but no officer of the company will admit such an intention. Other labor troubles are reported on the verge of settlement, and no strike of importance will be seen this year, simply because the justice of a wage increase is universally admitted.

$ $ $

Following announcement of the wage advance, a director of many railroads was quoted in the Street as saying that the movement to advance freight rates would now be begun. New Haven has started by advancing its passenger rates. This will bring the gross earnings up to a figure where even the increased operating expenses will leave some net for the stockholders.

$ $ $

Rain in Texas was responsible for much covering in the stock market. State street farmers had persuaded themselves that it was not going to rain this Spring in the agricultural section, and they were very much disappointed about the corn crop which is not yet planted. As a matter of fact, the farms are in splendid shape, owing to the heavy snowfall of last Winter, but the rain in Texas has reassured doubting ones.

$ $ $

It is reported that there is a plan on by the Frisco to consolidate the Colorado Southern, New Orleans & Pacific, and allied lines and the St. Louis, Brownsville & Mexico. An official announcement to this effect may be made soon. The St. Louis, Brownsville & Mexico was acquired recently by the Frisco system from a St. Louis syndicate. The Colorado Southern, New Orleans & Pacific was built by the Frisco. It is the purpose of the Frisco management to make these roads an integral part of the parent system constituting the New Orleans, Texas & Mexico division, the bonds to be guaranteed by the Frisco.

$ $ $

Investment buying of Southern Pacific is reported. Some of it is for foreign account. There is absorption for an important banking interest, it is said. The showing of earnings continues to be satisfactory, the increase in net for February and eight months being $500,000 and $5,600,000 respectively.

$ $ $

It is reported from the West that the Chesapeake & Ohio earnings for the fiscal year ending in June will show more than 10 per cent. on the outstanding stock. The latter is certain to be put on a higher dividend basis in the near future, according to very high authority, but the buying is rather slow at the present time. The Street does not doubt that the company can afford to pay 5 per cent.

$ $ $

Broker Stephen R. Dow will not have much time Wednesday, the 20th, to devote to the stock market, as the annual meetings of four of the so-called Dow properties occur on that day, with the exception that the North Lake comes April 21. The Corbin Copper Company's meeting takes place at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of the 20th, the Franklin's at 1 o'clock the same day, and the Rhode Island's at 3 o'clock.

$ $ $

J. Thomas Reinhardt has commenced the issuance of a daily market letter on curb stocks.

$ $ $

The Nevada-Douglas Copper Company expects to have its Nevada Copper Belt Railroad completed to its mines at Morningstar, Nevada, by July 1. At that time it will be ready to begin extensive shipments of copper ore and gypsum rock.

$ $ $

State street reports that United States earnings will establish a new first quarter record at about $41,500,000. In 1907 the first quarter earnings were $39,122,000.

$ $ $

Seventeen carloads of machinery are awaiting shipment to the Porcupine gold camp in the Cobalt district. Much staking is being done to the west of previous discoveries.

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DULLNESS IN LOCAL MARKET

STATE STREET, April 1.—Dullness was the chief characteristic of the stock market this forenoon. On the whole it was strong, but without any outside business. Opening Wall street prices were irregular, with slight price changes. After initial transactions the market turned strong, but there was no aggressiveness in the operations.

Copper stocks showed a better tone in the local market, while a 2-point rise in U. S. Coal & Oil shares came as a result of the soft coal strike. The strike will prove beneficial to this company as its miners are non-union. The March output was 141,934 tons of coal, or 15,000 tons greater than for any previous month.

Lake Copper stock had a 2-point rise, which gave sympathetic strength to the balance of the copper share list. Osceola spurted 1½ points. Both Arizona Commercial and North Butte were firm.

Brooklyn Transit was firm in New York with almost a point advance over last night's final. This reflected the rapidly growing earnings. London was a small buyer of its specialties and the market at that centre was generally firm. The announcement of a $750,000 gold shipment to England to-morrow created a little gloom, as it is the first one to be announced. It was said to be a special transaction and goes direct into the Bank of England.

Both Amalgamated and Smelters recorded fractional advances. Car & Foundry after a point advance fell back again while Consolidated Gas spurted 1⅞ points. Reading was not affected by the coal strike. A point and over advance in St. Paul is considered significant.

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Following is the range of prices to noon for leading Boston stocks:

RAILROADS.	High.	Low.	Noon.
Boston Elevated	127⅞	127¾	127⅞
MISCELLANEOUS.			
Am. Pneumatic pf	17¾	17¾	17¾
United Fruit	172	172	172
United Shoe Ma. pf	28⅞	28⅞	28⅞
UNLISTED SECURITIES.			
Am. Agri. Chem	45	45	45
Indiana	32	32	32
Isle Royale	18	18	18
Lake Copper	66	64½	65¼
Miami Copper	22½	22	22½
North Lake	16½	16½	16½
U S Coal & Oil	36½	35	36½
U S Smelting	43¼	43	43¼
MINING STOCKS.			
Arizona	21	20½	21
Butte Coalition	23¼	23¼	23¼
Calumet & Arizona	66½	66½	66½
Calumet & Hecla	605	605	605
Copper Range	71¼	71¼	71¼
Franklin	15¼	15¼	15¼
Granby	44½	44½	44½
Greene-Cananea	9⅜	9⅜	9⅜
Mass	5	5	5
Nevada Con	21	21	21
North Butte	35¼	35¼	35¼
Osceola	143½	142	143½
Quincy	81	81	81
Superior	45	45	45
Tamarack	60	60	60
Trinity	7	6⅞	7

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

Following is the range of prices to noon for leading New York stocks:

RAILROADS.	High.	Low.	Noon.
Atch. T. & S. F.	112⅛	112	112⅛
Brooklyn Rap. Tran.	77¾	76⅞	76⅞
Canadian Pac	181⅝	181⅝	181⅝
Ches. & Ohio	85½	85⅛	85½
Chic. Gt. West	28	28	28
Chic., M. & St. P.	141⅛	140	140¾
C., C., C. & St. L.	86	86	86
Col. & Southern	59	59	59
Erie	29½	29½	29½
Erie 1st pf	48	48	48
Gt. North'n pf	134¼	134⅛	134¼
Illinois Central	139	138½	138½
Int.-Metropol.	22¾	22½	22½
Int. Met. pf	58⅜	57¾	57⅞
Ks. City So	36	36	36
Ks. City So. pf	67⅛	67⅛	67⅛
Mo., Ks. & Tex	41¾	41	41¾
Missouri Pacific	69¼	69¼	69¼
N. Y. C. & Hudson	122⅜	122	122¼
N. Y. Ont. & W.	45⅛	45⅛	45⅛
Norfolk & West	103¾	103½	103¾
Northern Pacific	134	134	134
Pennsylvania	135⅝	135⅜	135½
Reading	165¼	164¼	164¾
Rock Island	45⅞	45⅛	45¾
Rock Island pf	124¼	124¼	124½
Southern Ry	28	28	28
Texas & Pacific	31¾	31	31¼
Union Pacific	184¼	183¾	183¾
Wabash pf	46¼	45¾	46½
INDUSTRIALS AND MISCELLANEOUS.			
Amal. Copper	74⅝	74	74¼
Am. Car & Fdy	63¼	62¾	62¾
Am. Ice Secur	26	26	26
Amer. Locomo	49⅜	49⅜	49⅜
Amer. Sm. & R.	81⅛	80⅝	81
Anaconda Cop	46⅛	46⅛	46⅛
Col. Fuel & Iron	39¼	39¼	39¼
Con. Gas (N. Y.)	143	141½	143
Central Leather	41	41	41
General Electric	150	149¾	149¾
Northern Ore	65	65	65
Pressed Steel Car	41	40½	40½
Rep. I. & S.	36	35⅞	36
U. S. Rub. 1st pf	114	113¾	113¾
U. S. Steel	83¼	82½	82⅞
U. S. Steel pf	119⅜	119¼	119¼
Utah Copper	44¾	44⅜	44⅜
Va. Car. Chem	58⅜	58⅜	58⅜
West. El. & Mfg	64	64	64

STEEL LEADS STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK, April 1.—Short coverings under leadership of Steel, caused by announcement that the plant of the corporation had produced a record tonnage of 1,000,000 tons in March, resulted in fractional advances in most active railroad and industrial shares in Wall street to-day. Union Pacific, Reading, Smelters and Amalgamated Copper all made gains of about half a point.

One strong feature of the market was seen in the Interborough Metropolitan shares. The preferred rose one point and the common half a point. This strength was due to announcement that the Interborough Rapid Transit Company, which is owned by the Metropolitan Company, would within a week submit a plan for the construction of new subways to the public service commission which it is believed will be accepted. The wild speculation in rubber shares continued in London and very little attention was paid to Americans, which, however, were slightly higher. Copper shares showed trifling advances on the curb.

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In this 50-acre park nature has done her best; most healthful and most beautiful spot around Boston.

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ON EASY TERMS

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CITY FAMILY must sell the old homestead; 110 acres in seashore town, cuts 15 tons hay, 75,000 ft. timber, nice orchard, attractive house (see photo), barn 50x32, wood, tool, carriage and poultry houses; only $1,100, $300 cash, balance $100 a year at 4 per cent. See No. 29,001 in CHAPIN'S FREE FARM GUIDE, 294 Washington st.

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$2,500—Seven room cottage house, open plumbing, furnace, house for poultry, three minutes steam and electrics. CRUFF & BYRNE, 749 South st., Roslindale.

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WANTED—5 acres or more land, sprout, wood, or cleared; Weymouth or Braintree. KENDALL, 14 Washington st., Neponset.

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NOTHING OVER $3.50 per week—5, 4, 3 and 2 room suites. All sunny and bright. 141 Lenox st. Ring Janitor's bell.

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CAMBRIDGE—5 rooms and bath, $4.75 per week. RUSSELL, 43 Tremont st.

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FOR SALE—Female screw tail Boston bull terrier. Apply 14 Blue Hill av., Roxbury.

EDITORIAL PAGE OF THE BOSTON AMERICAN

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80 AND 82 SUMMER ST., BOSTON, APRIL 1, 1910

Some Englishmen Are Better Off in America Than Americans

They Have a Little British Parcels Post of Their Own Right in Our Country

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Please fasten your mind for a minute on the following statement which we discover in a quiet little corner of E. H. Butler's Buffalo News:

> The Western Empire for December published a rate table for the British Postal Guide, which shows that a British citizen may send an eleven-pound package of merchandise from New York to San Francisco, or any other point in this country, for 24 cents. The contract between the British P. O. Department and the American Express Company guarantees a flat rate of one shilling—24 cents—for any package from three to eleven pounds between New York and any point in the United States. Says this periodical referred to: "We are blushingly ashamed of the Congressmen and Senators who profess to believe of the parcels post that 'it can't be done,' when the American Express Company for five years or more has proved that it can, by its contract with a foreign government."

Observe, fellow citizens, the difference between the Post Office Department of England—which is managed for the benefit of the ordinary Englishman—and the Post Office of the United States, which is managed for the benefit of the express companies and the railroads.

While the American Post Office Department is grunting and groaning about "rates that are too low" and explaining that it cannot possibly manage the parcels post system, **THE ENGLISH POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT ARRANGES TO PROTECT THE INTERESTS OF ITS CITIZENS EVEN IN THE UNITED STATES, AND EVEN AGAINST OUR UNITED STATES EXPRESS COMPANY EXTORTION.**

Thanks to the intelligent and decent management of the British Post Office, an Englishman can send an eleven-pound package through an American express company from New York to San Francisco for twenty-four cents.

Let the American citizen send such a package through that same American express company, and find out what it will cost him.

After he has made the experiment he will discover that this great and glorious railroad-and-express-company-owned-republic has some things to learn, even from an effete monarchy—when the people happen to look after their own interests in that effete monarchy.

We wonder, by the way, if Mr. E. H. Butler, who owns the Buffalo News, and who has a good deal of influence with Republican statesmen and others, couldn't see his way to stirring up this parcels post matter and this question of express company extortion.

If all the newspapers in the country would take the matter up, we high-born, free-spirited Americans might be soon freed from the express company domination, which doesn't appear to bother Englishmen across the water.

Lesson of the Waverley Crossing Fatality

Will the Railroads Heed It and Attempt to Win the Good Will of the Public?

Every railroad grade crossing in this Commonwealth should be abolished as speedily as possible. There should be no more temporizing with the railroads on this question. Every crossing fatality is a needless and too-costly sacrifice of human life and public policy.

Apologists and special pleaders for the railroads are too prone to say that a harsh and unfair sentiment has been worked up against them in Massachusetts, whenever the railroads are asked to treat the public squarely and obey the spirit of the law.

There is no ill-feeling in this State against railroad corporations as public servants, but there is a just resentment of the attempts of railroad magnates to control the Legislature, bale out the savings banks and indulge in doubtful financial exploits.

Let the railroads show more signs of physical progress, a better disposition to meet the wants of the people with improved service and less inclination to promise and forget, and they will be surprised at the rapid development of good feeling. For instance, let it be announced that, shocked by the Waverley fatality, which cost two lives and turned a wedding into a double funeral, the railroads intend to detail a number of their best engineers to make a thorough study of crossings with a view to their separation at grades, speedily and systematically, the most dangerous to be given first attention.

And, when they make such an announcement, let the railroads mean it. Too long their attorneys have fooled local committees with purring manners and the rosy promise, "We will reach your case soon. We have you in mind." And too long the attorneys have pleaded as a last resort that separating grade crossings was too costly, that the railroads could not afford the expense.

It is time for them to realize that the general public considers human life more precious than a few thousand dollars, and that indignation over the petty policy which considers an old gateman and an old gate sufficient safeguard at dangerous crossings, helps to foster ill-feeling against railroads and, naturally, arouses suspicion in the public mind of all propositions advanced by railroads.

The money that railroads spend on legislative agents and counsel would abolish several death traps every year. If spent for that purpose it would do more to gain concessions for the railroads than the lobbyists ever could do.

A few more cases like that at Waverley and this grade crossing matter will be made an issue that will compel the Legislature to take drastic action to compel the railroads to move faster in the work of doing away with death traps.

LETTERS FROM AMERICAN READERS

PAY THE PRICE

Editor BOSTON AMERICAN:

Why all this trouble over the "tip"? When you go into a first-class hotel or restaurant you pay for the food—plus. Animals feed, men dine, and it is well worth the price to be served in a manner which makes the meal a delight.

A mechanic is paid not only for the material, but for skilful service, and the service is the biggest part of the bill.

When you enter a dining-room and have every wish anticipated by an army of trained men—from your top-coat to your after-dinner cigar, and you are simply left to enjoy yourself at your leisure—you pay for the "frills" as well as the food. It's worth it.

It is unreasonable to expect the proprietor to maintain a magnificent establishment and competent service on your meal ticket. It costs as much to employ a man to serve a thirty-cent "light lunch" as an elaborate "table d'hote."

If you are simply going to "fill up" there are plenty of joints to undertake the contract on a cheap basis. If you wish to enjoy a dinner—plus, why, pay the price.

G. W. B.

PRAISES UNION LABEL

Editor BOSTON AMERICAN:

For the past two years I have been in the employ of the United Garment Workers of America in the interest of products bearing the union label.

I have given the union label a great amount of thought and study, and I believe it can be made to bring about marvelous results if it can be brought to the attention of the people generally—just as your slogan, "A government of the people by the people" is, by its very simplicity, bound to cause thought, and can be understood even by a child.

W. A. OLIVER

Signs of Spring

By T. E. POWERS

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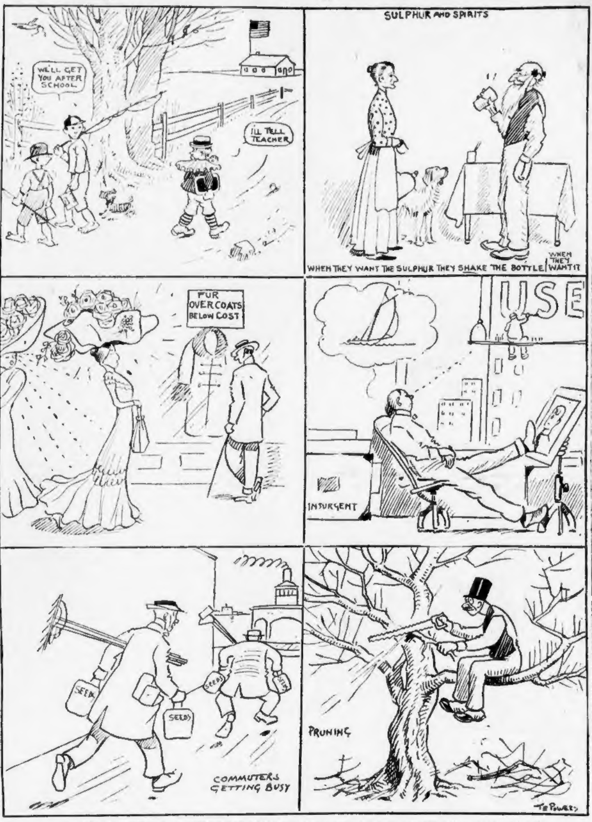

DON'T MISS MR. POWERS'S FUNNY PICTURES IN SUNDAY'S AMERICAN.

Nervo the Monk

By GUS MAGER

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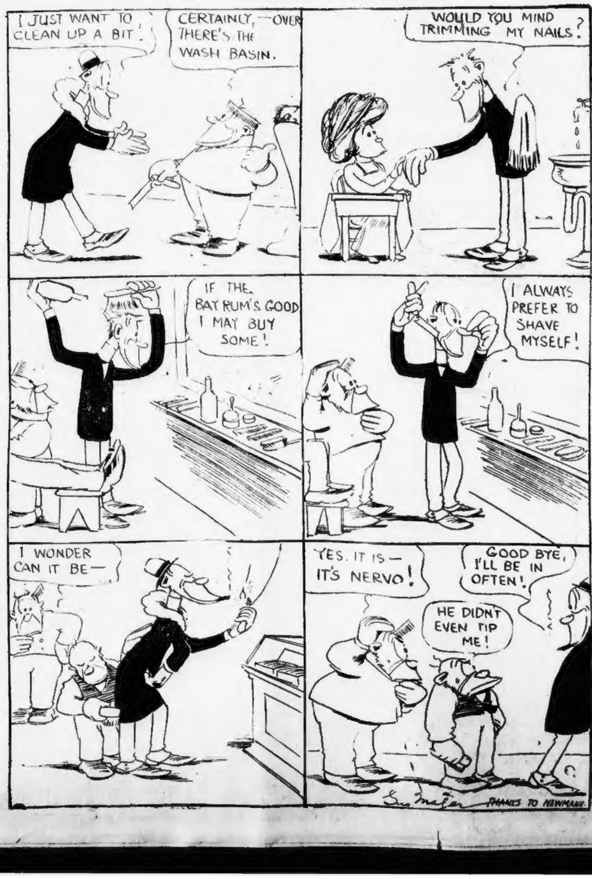
HOW DOES HE GET AWAY WITH IT?


I JUST WANT TO CLEAN UP A BIT.
CERTAINLY,—OVER THERE'S THE WASH BASIN.
WOULD YOU MIND TRIMMING MY NAILS?
IF THE BAY RUM'S GOOD I MAY BUY SOME!
I ALWAYS PREFER TO SHAVE MYSELF!
I WONDER CAN IT BE—
YES. IT IS— IT'S NERVO!
GOOD BYE, I'LL BE IN OFTEN!
HE DIDN'T EVEN TIP ME!
Gus Mager
THANKS TO NEWMANN

Shall We Make a Move for True Temperance?—No. 5.

THE BEER SALOON AS A TEMPERANCE MEASURE

By REV. ROLAND D. SAWYER,
Pastor First Congregational Church, Ware, Mass.

THE beer saloon is not advocated as a teetotalist or Prohibition measure, but in the interest of true temperance.

It gives the social approval only to that form of drink that men can and do take and still remain temperate. Its great value is that it is a step we can immediately take, rather than continue to hammer our brains out trying to do what we cannot do.

There is little doubt that the existing saloon could be displaced by the beer saloon in every city in Massachusetts. Ask any bartender how many drink beer, as compared with hard liquors, over the bar, and he will tell you at least eighteen out of every twenty in warm weather, and only slightly less in cold. Or go to the men who vote for the saloon and ask why, and they will tell you it is that they may have a place to run in and get a drink of beer after the ball game, or after work, or during the evening.

Almost all of them would be content with a saloon that sold beer only. In fact, there are many who desire such.

I rode over to the city on a moving van beside a great, strong teamster, and asked him how he was going to vote on the license question. He answered, "I shall vote yes, but hope it will go no."

He explained this paradox by saying he voted "yes" because he wanted a place to go in and get his drink of beer. He hoped it would be "no" because such would be better for him, as when he was in a saloon, and thought of a long, cold ride coming, he could not stand the temptation to get a pint of whiskey to take along with him.

Now, there are thousands of workingmen who feel just this way; they would prefer the beer saloon for their own protection. These men know that hard liquor is bad for them; they only buy it under temptation, or perhaps solicitation, for in most barrooms the bartender is required to show his bottle goods bargains, especially to a slightly intoxicated person who makes a good prospective customer.

And at closing hour it is the bartender's custom to call out, "Come, gents, we close in ten minutes; get your bottle goods."

Thus, under the present system, hard liquors are actually pressed upon the poor fellow unable to refuse. One needs no further evidence of the worth of the beer saloon as a temperance measure than to know of the hearty support that such an idea receives from the more intelligent and best informed workers of humanity.

In laying these ideas before such I have invariably received this approval. The most eminent I can recite is **THE APPROVAL OF JANE ADDAMS FOR THE PLAN OF A BEER SALOON.**

When I laid these ideas before her at the Hull House, in Chicago, she said very heartily: "I think you are right—yes, I know you are right. I feel the abolition of hard liquors would be the most we could hope for or ought to expect at this time. And so, of course, it is the thing we should work for. And oh! what a help it would be. But I fear that so many will regard any such plan as a compromise with the saloon that the advocacy of such an idea would meet with scant favor."

Now, to admit this last expression of Miss Addams would be a confession that the doctrinaire total abstainers are in control of the forces that want temperance in this country. I hate to think that such can be the case.

I laid the same ideas and plans before Clarence Darrow, the eminent criminal and labor lawyer of Chicago. **DARROW ENTHUSED OVER THE IDEA OF A BEER SALOON**, and urged me to a complete recital of my plans.

"That," said Darrow, "is the most rational move that could be made toward a better control of the liquor traffic."

And he went on to point out to me how it would result in those crimes that can be traced to liquor being very much checked; for it is the hard liquors that incite men to crimes, and it is to hard liquors they always resort when seeking false courage to commit crime.

The beer saloon, then, is a move for temperance along the line of least resistance. It is doing the thing that can next be done.

Probably, in a decade of years, the maximum of alcohol could be reduced one more per cent. In another ten years, still another. This would mean that in forty years, the same time we tried present methods with no results, the nation would be a nation of drinkers of a practically non-intoxicating beverage.

Economic and industrial changes have paved the way for substituting beer as a popular drink in place of rum and whiskey.

Shall we make a move along these natural lines, or shall we butt our heads against the wall and force back upon the nation the drinking of hard liquors? For that is the apparent effect of all attempts at absolute prohibition.

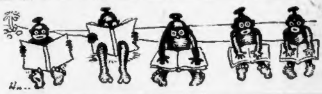
A Pacific Cook Book

By WEX JONES

IN Bombiloo the beautiful, that calm Pacific isle,
Where every prospect pleases and only man is vile—
You recognize this line, perhaps; we stole it at the start,
And ring it in at intervals to make this look like art—
In Bombiloo the beautiful, as we before have said,
There rose an agonizing cry about the price of bread.
The natives kicked like bucking broncs and wished that they might die
If ever in their history their grub had been so high.

Now Bangaroo, the chieftain, while an autocratic cuss,
Was always on the lookout for unnecessary fuss,
And he thought the agitation that his hungry people made
Was a thing of which a ruler had cause to be afraid.
So he summoned to his councils the island's best known cook
For collaboration in the palace on a subject-winning book;
And after weeks of planning they sent the volume out
To coax along insurgents and put kickers to the rout.

The volume was a cook book and full of cute recipes
For drinks of various texture and also for the eats;
It told the hungry natives that mock plantain best was faked
By mixing up three sausages on spinach freshly baked;
It told the foolish natives how to get their beef for naught
By living on potatoes till the Beef Trust grew distraught;
And when the housewife read it she said, "This ruling dub
Has told us how to cook these things, not how to GET the grub."



What Is a Comet?

By GARRETT P. SERVISS

A READER of the AMERICAN poses the following questions, confessing that the recent influx of remarkable comets, and the prediction that one of them is going to give us a taste of its real quality next May, have given him "comets on the brain."

First. Do you think they are projectiles shot from the sun?

Second. Is there any solid nucleus?

Third. How do you account for the fact that the gaseous portion does not condense and solidify into crystalline particles in space which registers 270 degrees below zero centigrade?

Fourth. If you take a magnifying glass, either a spectacle lens or a reading glass, and focus the light from an ordinary incandescent lamp and manipulate the glass at different angles you can produce a comet in miniature, and you can turn its tail either from the light or toward the light at will. Do you think that would explain the illusion of a comet's tail?

Answer I. It is probable that comets have originated from the sun, but not in the form of projectiles shot out of it. The trend of recent investigation is to show that comets, like the planets, were originally formed from the primeval mass of matter that gave birth to the sun and his system of attendant bodies.

Comets, according to this view, are not simple interlopers from outer space, as was formerly supposed, but they have as much right to claim nationality in the solar system as have the planets. They differ from the planets in being less massive and in having orbits much more eccentric. They are the sun's scouts, and their excursions carry them to enormous distances into the wastes of extra-planetary space, but sooner or later they come back to report at headquarters.

Answer II. The nucleus of a comet is probably solid, but not a single solid body. It is likely that the head of a comet consists of a multitude of solid particles, like a close packed mass of meteors. The fact that many comets are known to have turned into meteor swarms strengthens this probability.

Answer III. The gaseous portion of a comet does not condense into crystals because there is practically no pressure exerted upon it in open space. The cold there would no doubt be sufficient to liquefy or solidify any gas, but experiment shows that cold alone cannot produce this transformation; there must be great pressure also.

Answer IV. If the tail of a comet were nothing but an illusion produced by the sunlight thrown into the form of a beam, like the rays caused by open pigeon-holes in a hay mow, there would have to be all about the sun and throughout the solar system some kind of dusty medium or atmosphere to reflect the light. There is no evidence of the existence of anything of the kind, and if it did exist it would produce a general misty illumination in the sky.

In order that the head of a comet should act like a lens it would have to be transparent to the ordinary rays of light, which is contrary to all that we know of the nature of such bodies.

Then, too, the shapes and the changes undergone by the tails of comets are inconsistent with the hypothesis that they are simply condensed beams of sunlight.

The spectroscope also gives positive evidence that the emanations from comets consist of gases, mingled perhaps with minute solid particles. They always contain hydrocarbon gases. The wonderful tail of the recent Comet "A" showed the presence of sodium, the basic element of common salt.

In short, there is no getting away from the fact that comets are very real things, and it will be no illusion that we shall have to deal with next May if Halley's comet stretches its tail over the earth, however inocuous the reality may be.